

Memories



“With humble and contrite hearts let us fervently and devoutly dedicate this building, the energies and affections of those who labor within its walls and the material resources of this community devoted to the progress of youth, to the service and love of our God, our country, our children and our fellow men.”

Supt. Taylor at Dedication.

NINETEEN TWENTY-SEVEN

MEMORIES



ASSEMBLED AND
PUBLISHED BY
THE STUDENT BODY

OF

EARLVILLE COMMUNITY
HIGH SCHOOL |

EARLVILLE, ILLINOIS



TO SUPERINTENDENT F. G. TAYLOR
and
*all who have helped in the growth and
expansion of our school, we, the students
of Earlville Community High School
dedicate this*

Volume
of
MEMORIES

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MEMORIES



Standing (Left to Right): Kathern Foote, Elmer Rave, Miss Keeler, Daniel Humm, Miss Bullock, Raymond Bowers, George Gould.

Seated (Left to Right): Carl Marshall, Walter Wilson, Mary Weis, Wilbur Blakeslee, Gertrude Boltz, George Myers, Inez Golden, Frederick Torman.

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The Board of Education

MEMORIES



Back Row (Left to Right): O. R. Marshall, R. M. Roath, R. Frey.

Front Row (Left to Right): O. J. Tillman, H. J. Miller, Dr. E. H. Rayson.

THE BOARD OF EDUCATION

Dist. No. 380

Earlville Community High School. Organized April 28, 1920 in the office of Dr. F. A. Wiley following the school election of April 24, 1920.

Service

Dr. Frank A. Wiley, Pres.	-	-	-	-	1920-1924
Oscar R. Marshall, (Sec. 1920-25)	-	-	-	-	1920-
Rutherford M. Roath	-	-	-	-	1920-
Charles D. Hill	-	-	-	-	1920-1925
John A. Dupee	-	-	-	-	1920-1926
Dr. Edwin H. Rayson, Pres.	-	-	-	-	1924-1927
Reuben Frey	-	-	-	-	1925-
Ona J. Tillman	-	-	-	-	1926-
Edward B. Tabor, Pres.	-	-	-	-	1927-
Harold J. Miller (non-member, Sec.)	-	-	-	-	1925-

MEMORIES



Standing (left to Right): Dr. F. E. Pierce, C. D. Hill, L. W. Park, W. Prentice.
Seated (Left to Right): C. C. Strong, F. A. Wiley, Fanny M. Burlingame, J. A. Harkness,
Dr. E. T. Goble.

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Dist. 304

(Records previous to 1892 not available)

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	James Van Horn	

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 (E. B. Tabor, C. R. Moore, A. B. House, elected since this cut was made.)

THE GRADE SCHOOL BOARD OF EDUCATION Dist. 304

Who have cooperated with Dist. 380 to give Earlville a harmonious system of education.

Faculty Service Earlville Community High School.

L. B. Mann, Supt.-Prin.	-	1920-1925	Hazel Anderson	-	-	-	1922-1925
F. G. Taylor Supt.-Prin.	-	1925-....	Esther Davis	-	-	-	1922-....
Harold E. Mann	-	-	1920-1921	Margaret Bullock (Asst. Prin.,	1926-)		
Edna Bruell	-	-	1920-1921	-	-	-	1923-....
Lucille Barnett	-	-	1920-1921	Ruth Linn	-	-	1923-1924
Mildred Whittaker	-	-	1920-1921	Fred B. Ferris	-	-	1924-1925
Katherine Torbett	-	-	1921-1922	Margaret Wallich	-	-	1924-1925
Edith L. Benjamin	-	-	1921-1922	Florence Franklin	-	-	1924-1925
Raymond McKamy	-	-	1921-1922	Donald Snow	-	-	1925-1926
Enid Corine Wicher	-	-	-	Berneice Torman	-	-	1925-....
-	-	Sept 1, 1921 to Dec. 1, 1921	Jessie Springstead	-	-	-	1925-1926
Wm. Hafliger	-	-	-	Theodosia Keeler	-	-	1925-....
-	-	Dec. 1, 1921 to May 1, 1922	Violet Redfern	-	-	-	1926-....
Grayce Dinsmore	-	-	1922-1924	Harold T. Miller	-	-	1926-....
Helen Beeman	-	-	1922-1923	Thelma Eubanks Ray	-	-	1926-....
Winfred Warren	-	-	1922-1923				

F a c u l t y

MEMORIES



F. G. TAYLOR

*Superintendent and Principal
Sciences*



MARGARET BULLOCK

*Assistant Principal
English*



THEODOSIA KEELER

Mathematics

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BERNEICE TORMAN

Home Economics



HAROLD MILLER

Social Science and Athletics



VIOLET REDFERN

Latin and History

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THELMA EUBANKS RAY

Commercial



ESTHER DAVIS

Music



OLGA KELLER

Nurse

The Building

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LAYING THE CORNER STONE
May 28, 1926

PROGRAM

at

Laying of Corner Stone

Address

Rev. John Gordon, Rockford, Ill.

The corner stone of Earlville's new community high school building was laid Friday afternoon, May 28th, with appropriate ceremonies. The weather was pleasant and a goodly company, in addition to the school pupils, witnessed the event.

The ceremony began at 3 o'clock when Rev. Henry Abraham gave the invocation, after which Superintendent Taylor announced that a number of articles would be placed in the copper box that was to be sealed in the stone. The box was 4x6x10 inches in size and the memorials placed in it were as follows:

History of Earlville Community High School—Margaret Bullock.

School Activities of 1926—Berneice Torman.

Operetta—Esther Davis, Music Superintendent.

Athletics of 1926—D. M. Snow, Coach.

Prize Examination on the Constitution of the United States—Helen Rochford.

National Oratorical Contest—

Oration—"Hamilton and the Constitution,"—George Myers.

Morse Research Award—"Animal Worship in Egypt"—Lois Taylor.

Valedictory of 1926, "Life"—Bessie Hoadley.

Salutatory of 1926, "A Fairy Story"—Lyle Malley.

Toastmaster's Remarks at Junior-Senior Reception—Wilbur Blakeslee.

Welcome—Orin Baker, Junior President.

Response—John Dupee, Senior President.

Toast to Seniors—Ruby Keen.

Toast to Juniors—Harvey Beale

Toast to the School—Bessie Hoadley.

Prophecy—Walter Wilson.

Gift to Seniors—Alfred Dudley.

Class Day 1926—

History—Richard Hughes.

Poem—John Dupee.

Prophecy—Vernon Rowan.

Will—Lucile Harger.

Copies of Earlville Leader—E. B. Tabor.

Copy of Earlville Census—R. M. Roath.

One-half of ox-shoe, presented by A. W. Butterfield, of Earlville—O. R. Marshall.

Flag—Dr. E. H. Rayson.

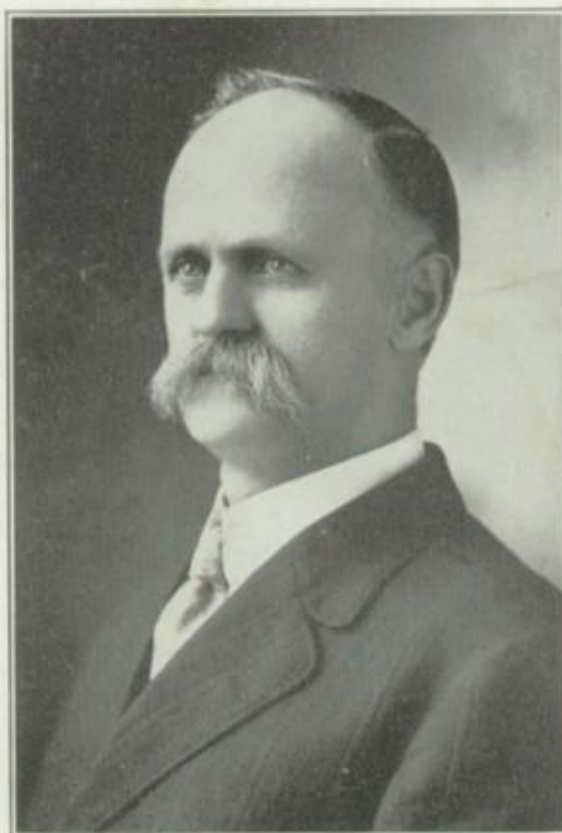
Bible—O. J. Tillman.

The box was then placed in the stone and President Rayson of the board of education spread the first trowel of mortar in which the stone was set. The contractor, K. J. Mulder of Nokomis, then superintended the lowering of the stone into place where it will probably rest for generations.

The members of the board and the speaker, Rev. John Gordon, then repaired to the platform that had been erected. John A. Dupee, Jr., sang a solo and Dr. Gordon was introduced and spoke for about half an hour. His talk, of course, was directed mostly to the young people present, for whom the building was erected.

Miss Esther Davis led in singing two verses of "America," and the benediction was pronounced by Rev. Chas. Lyons.

Dedication



COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT, W. R. FOSTER

PROGRAM

DR. E. H. RAYSON, *Presiding*

<i>Invocation</i>	- - - - -	Rev. W. E. Royston
	Methodist Episcopal Church	
<i>Summary</i>	- - - - -	Dr. E. H. Rayson
	President, Board of Education	
<i>The School and the City</i>	- - - - -	Mayor J. W. Robinson
<i>The School and Business</i>	- - - - -	Chas. D. Hill
	President Commercial Club	
<i>The School and the Club</i>	- - - - -	Mrs. D. J. Nunemacher
	President W. M. I. Club	
<i>The School and Thrift</i>	- - - - -	G. H. Wiley
	Cashier Earlville National Bank	
<i>The School and the American Legion</i>	- - - - -	J. E. Hughes, Commander
<i>The School and the Library</i>	- - - - -	Miss Fanny Burlingame, Librarian
<i>The School and the Church</i>	- - - - -	Rev. Theo. Meiman
	Earlville Lutheran Church	
<i>The School and the Church</i>	- - - - -	Rev. Henry Abraham
	Earlville Presbyterian Church	
<i>The School and the Press</i>	- - - - -	E. B. Tabor
	Editor Earlville Leader	
<i>Dedication</i>	- - - - -	Supt. F. G. Taylor
<i>America</i>	- - - - -	Audience
<i>Address</i>	- - - - -	County Supt. W. R. Foster

Inspection of Building

January 3, 1927

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DEDICATION SPEAKERS

Standing: C. D. Hill, Fanny Burlingame, Rev. Meinan, Dr. Rayson.

Sitting: F. G. Taylor, J. W. Robinson, Rev. Abraham, Rev. Royston, E. B. Tabor, Mrs. D. J. Nunemacher.

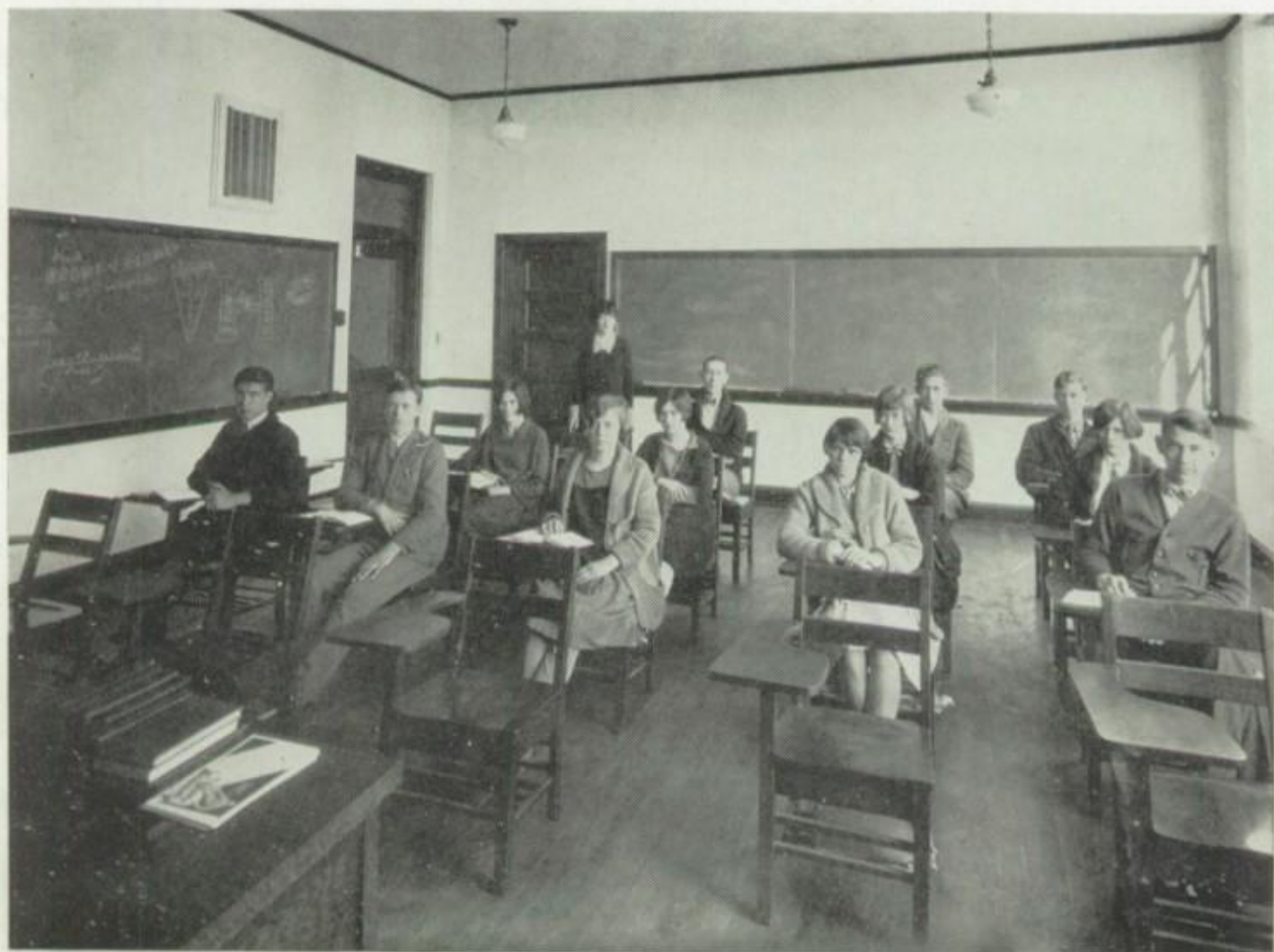


ASSEMBLY HALL

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THE OFFICE



MATHEMATICS ROOM

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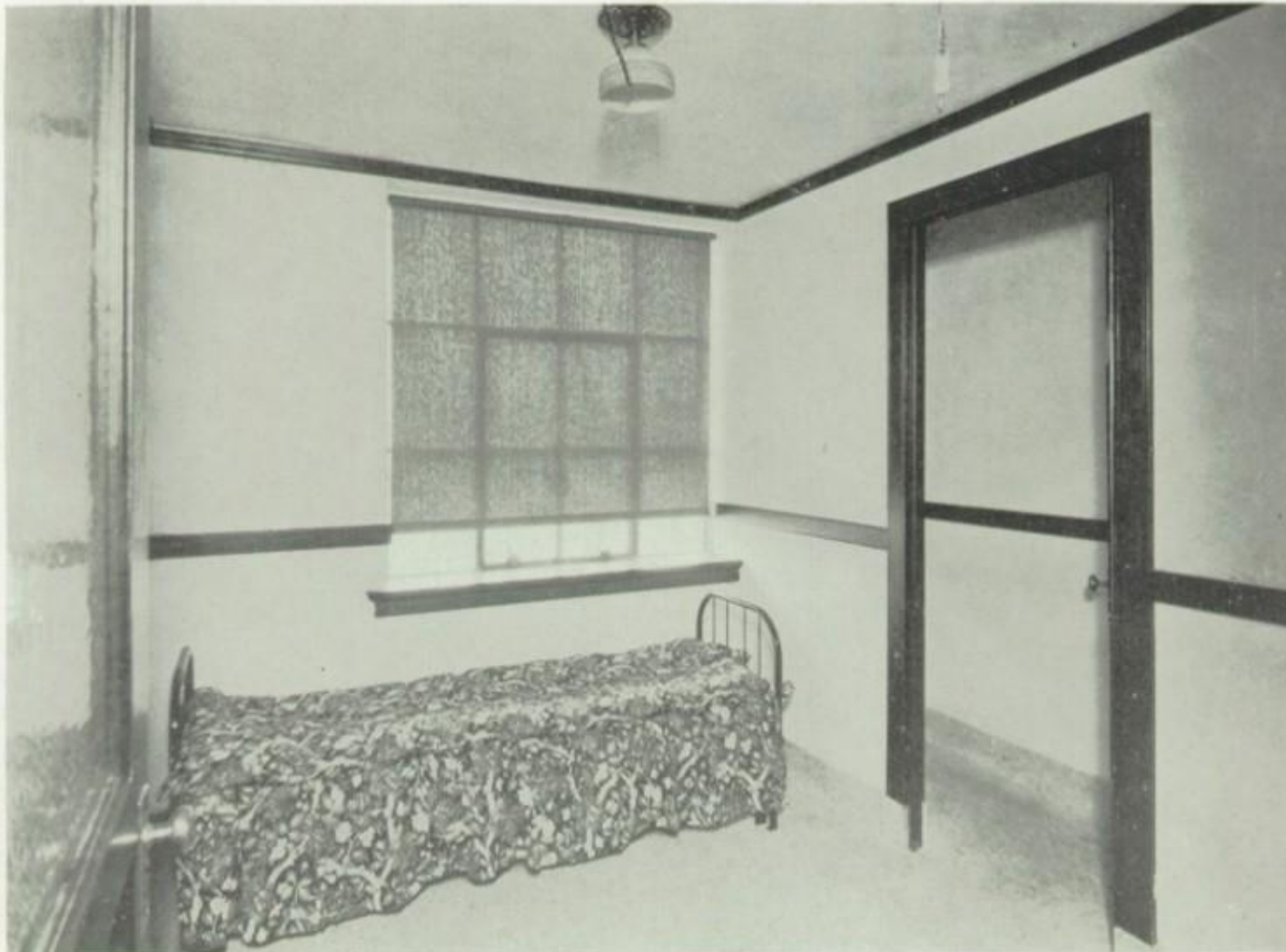


LIBRARY AND TROPHY ROOM

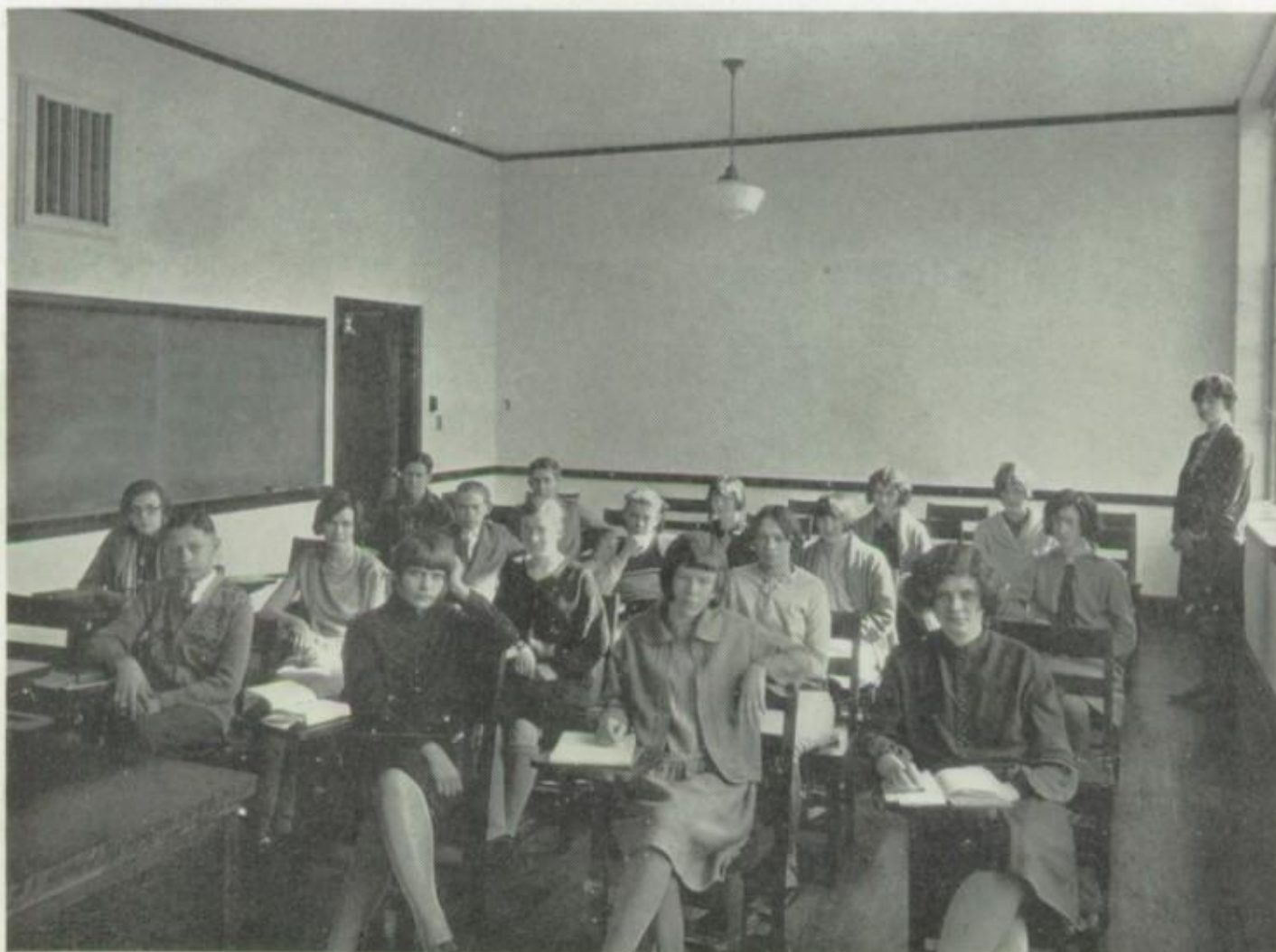


HISTORY ROOM

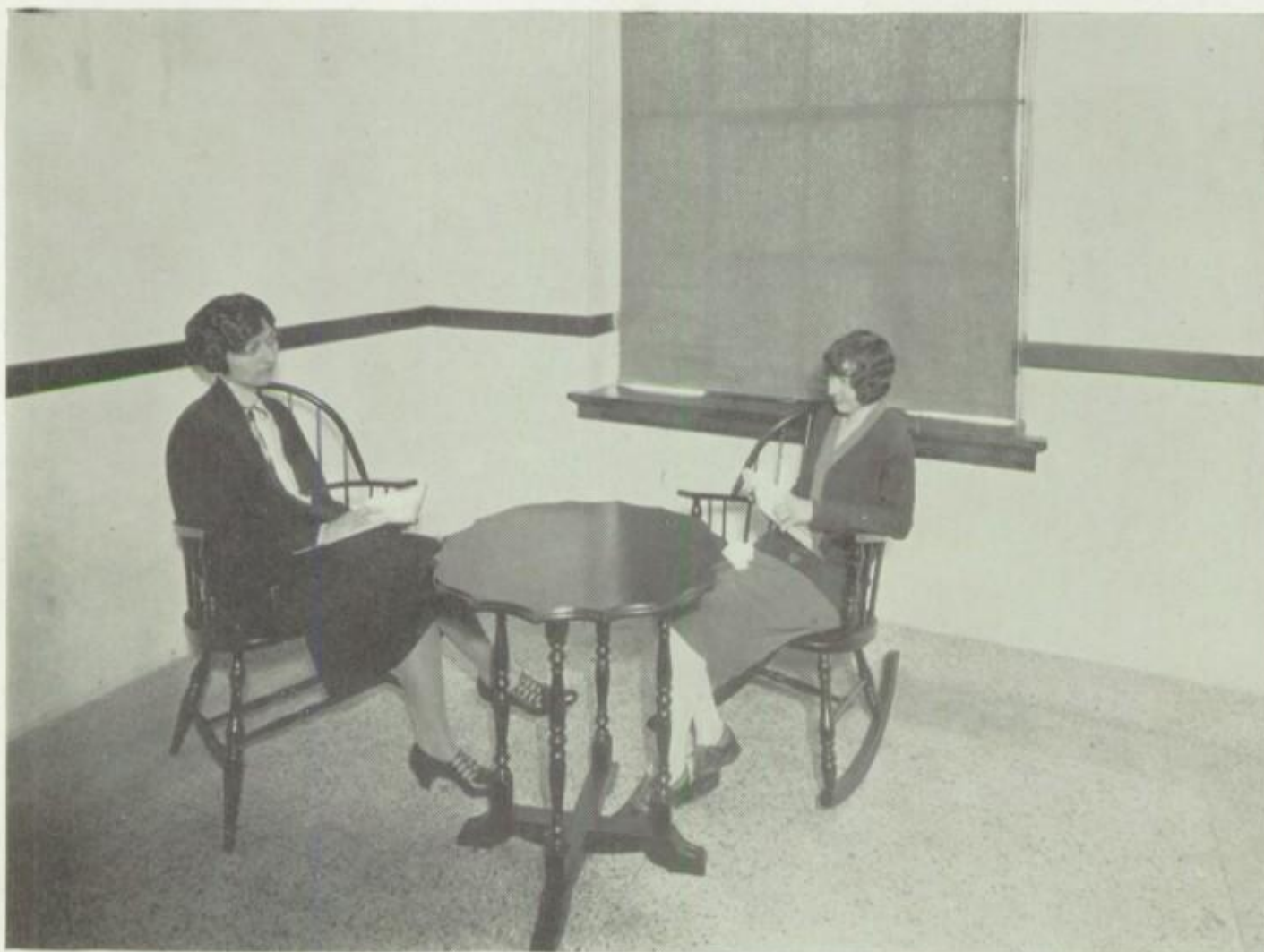
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NURSE'S OFFICE



ENGLISH ROOM



TEACHERS' REST ROOM

The health and comfort of pupils and teachers is given careful attention. The top of page 22 shows the nurses's office equipped with stand and scales for monthly weighing and measuring height of pupils. A registered nurse is on duty during school hours every school day. A day bed and private lavatory are available for emergencies.

The Teachers' Rest Room provides a place where teachers may be free from interruptions by pupils. All pupil conferences are held in the recitation room during conference hours.

The English Room on the opposite page shows the manner of heat distribution. Through the register near the top and left the warm air is introduced into the room and is removed through the ventilating closet in the front of the room (not shown in the cut). The thermostat at the right of the door controls the rate of admission of warm air. When the temperature of the room rises above 72° F. the thermostat automatically turns on the compressed air system that closes the dampers in the warm air flues. When the temperature falls below 68° F. the same system opens the dampers allowing a greater flow of warm air.

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CLOTHING ROOM

The course in Clothing under Miss Berneice Torman is built on very common sense lines. Here you see the most modern equipment, adequately arranged. There is plenty of light for the sewing machines and tables. To the left may be seen the "built in" ironing equipment and fitting room equipped with triple mirror.

To the right are the individual lockers for small personal equipment and wardrobes for material and projects.



FOODS LABORATORY

The pupil's desks are the latest type of home economic furniture. They are equipped for either electricity or gasoline gas. The latter is produced in the school gas plant.

The dining room in the rear is fitted with elegant black walnut furniture. It is used for demonstrating correct social usages and for entertaining visitors, the faculty and board of education.

The pantry on the left is sufficiently equipped to serve 60 pupils at lunch hour as shown on page 36.

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GENERAL UTILITY ROOM

This room is used for minor science recitations.

The instructor's desk is supplied with running water, gas and electricity.

This is also used by the music supervisor. It has a modern school piano.

The windows are double curtained that the room may be darkened for use with projection lantern. In the fore ground may be seen the latest form of Balopticon for projecting lantern slides, opaque objects, post cards, book illustrations, and microscope slides. The equipment includes an original device of Supt. Taylor that projects the electric furnace upon the screen and is used in demonstrating the process for making artificial diamonds.

The Builders

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MR. EDWIN ROSEN
SUPT. OF CONSTRUCTION
OF
THE A. L. PILLSBURY ASSOCIATES
BLOOMINGTON, ILL.

The Earlville Community High School was designed by A. L. Pillsbury shortly before his death.

This building has received the highest indorsement from the State Department of Public Instruction with special commendation for excellence in sanitation and safety.

The general arrangement of rooms and corridors together with the carefully worked out details of the individual rooms provide teachers and pupils with the latest in school construction.

The abundance and distribution of light wins the admiration of all visitors.

This firm ranks first among school architects and their buildings are found in the up-to-date school systems of Illinois and adjoining states.

Earlville is to be heartily congratulated on having a Pillsbury building.

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HIGH SCHOOL



Builder
of
EARLVILLE COMMUNITY
HIGH SCHOOL

KLASS J. MULDER
GENERAL CONTRACTOR

327 Henry Street

Nokomis, Ill.

Bell Phone, 317

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FURNACE



SECOND CORRIDOR



MR. L. G. WHITMER
PRESIDENT
OF
AMERICAN FOUNDRY
AND FURNACE CO.

THE AMERICAN FOUNDRY AND
FURNACE COMPANY
of
Bloomington, Illinois

Has installed the most up-to-date, warm air heating and ventilating system which has heated and ventilated every part of our building with satisfaction. There is an excellent distribution of heat and a marked economy of fuel and labor.

The plant is similar to those installed in Aurora, St. Charles, Geneva, Eureka, Shelbyville, Pana, etc.



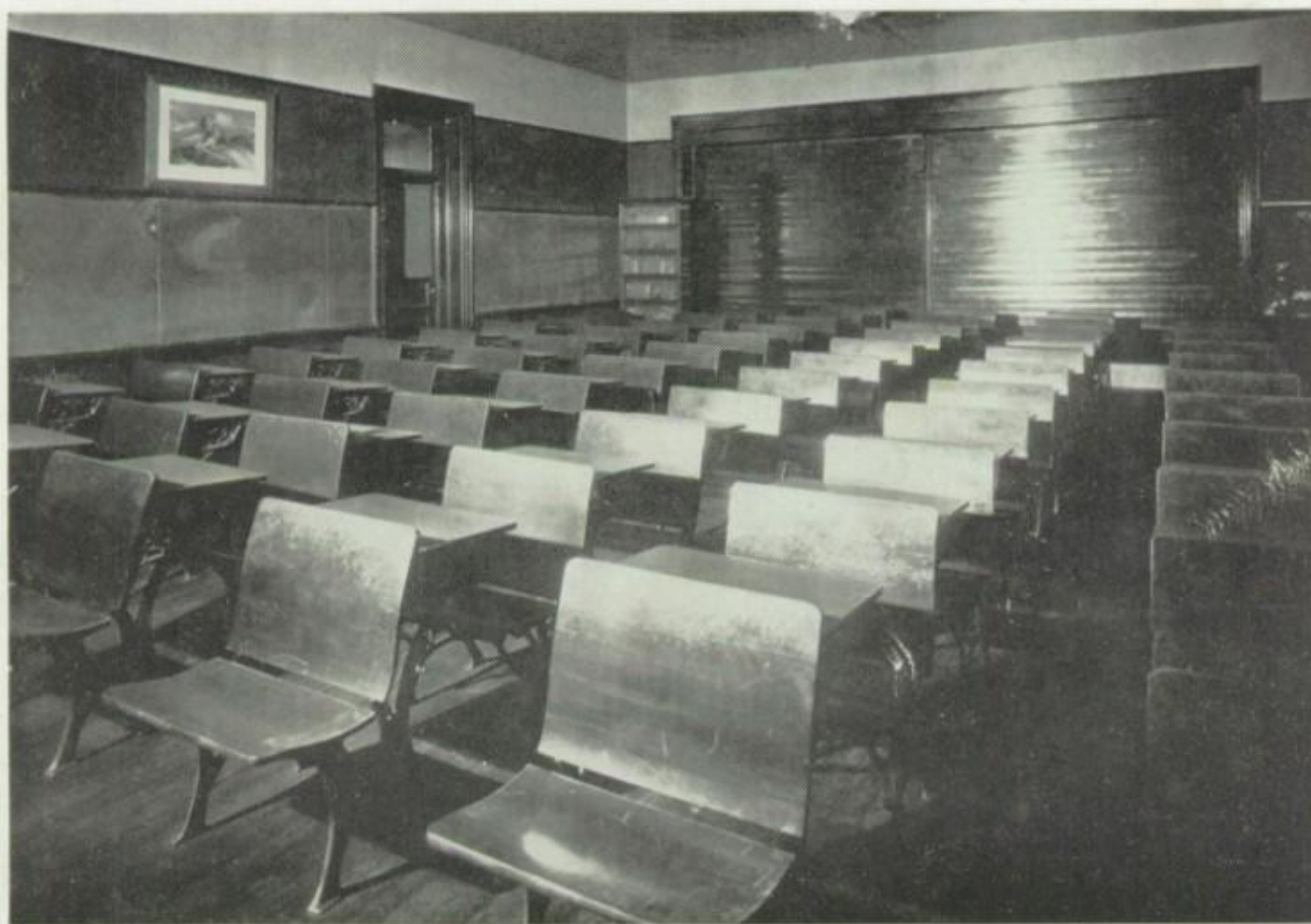
MR. E. G. COX
WHOSE PERSUASIVE MANNER WON
THE HEATING CONTRACT

The opposite page shows cuts of the heating plant, the footwarmer in corridor. The method of admitting warmed fresh air to the class rooms is described on page 23. Note that there are no radiators in the class rooms.

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NEW STUDY HALL



OLD STUDY HALL



Showing an individual desk of the type selected by our board for the assembly hall.

The commodious and efficiently lighted study hall is seated with the very latest design of school desks, manufactured by

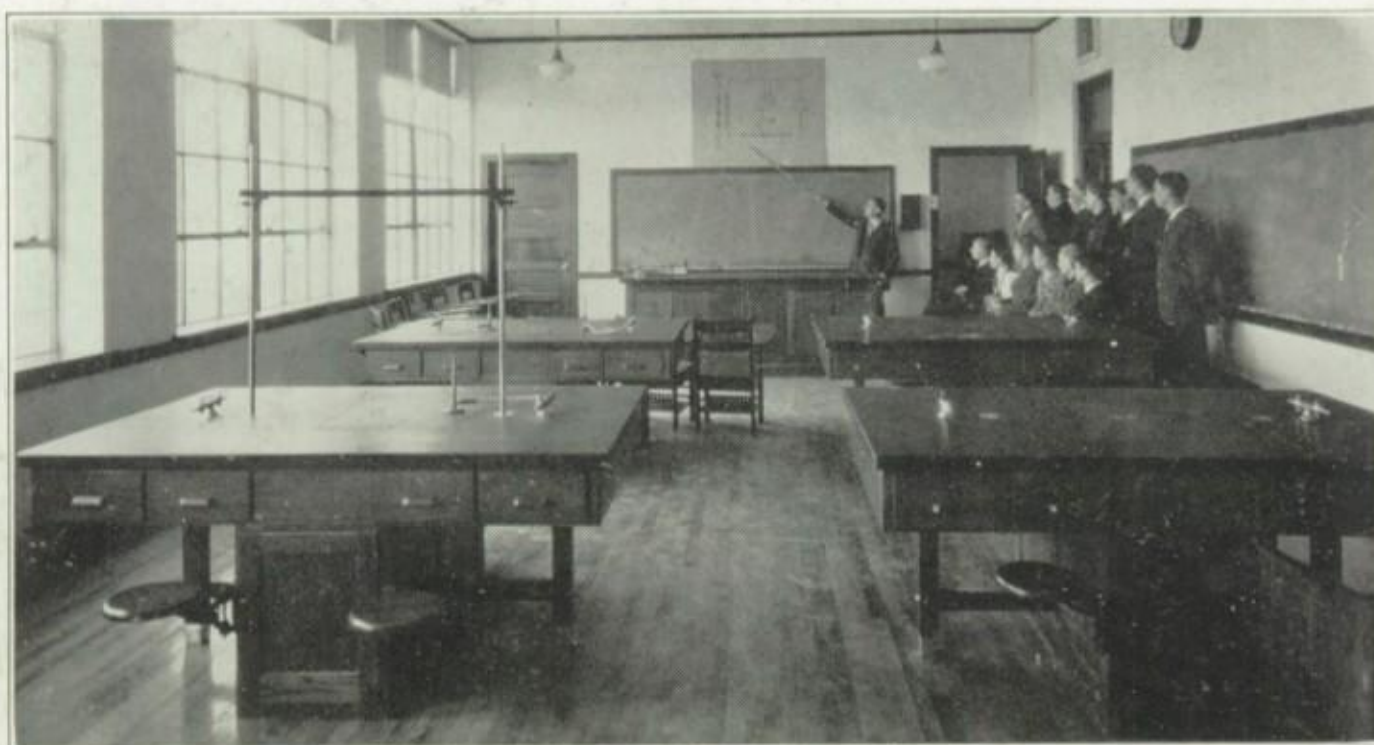
WELFARE SEATING COMPANY

of Waukegan, Illinois

The seats, backs and tops are independently adjustable for the normal position of the feet, the arm for writing, and the back for comfort. The size and construction of the base assures solidity on the floor and delightful sanitation. The desks were received exactly on time and were installed in two days.

The opposite page shows the dingy old study hall equipped with 57 noisy uncomfortable desks in which 120 pupils were crowded for assembly.

Also here is to be seen the last word in school room lighting and seating. The bodily ease of these desks with the efficient lighting assures the concentration of the pupil for the study hours.



PHYSICS AND CHEMISTRY LABORATORY OF THE EARLVILLE COMMUNITY H. S.

The laboratories and domestic science rooms are fitted with the most up-to-date designs of science equipment of the

KEWAUNEE MFG. COMPANY,
KEWAUNEE, WIS.

Each pupil has gas, water, direct and alternating current electricity at his disposal. This equipment is the same as used in leading colleges and high schools throughout America.

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The scientific apparatus in our laboratory is
manufactured by

THE W. M. WELCH MANUFACTURING COMPANY
Chicago, Ill.

The latest designs of instruments for the study of
electricity, radio, light, sound, and general mechanics are
at the disposal of the pupils.

The Welch standard of excellence assures fine results
in laboratory experimentation.



LUNCH HOUR



MR. GEORGE E. McGRATH

of

Monmouth, Ill.

Installed the electrical service throughout the building including the signal system shown on the opposite page.

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Above is the master clock that governs the time and signals in each room.

This clock is automatically wound every minute from a storage battery that is automatically charged seven minutes every hour. Great uniformity of time is thus assured.

The twelve clocks throughout the building are electrically connected with the master clock and are automatically adjusted every minute.

The clock operates the class bells every 40 minutes with a 3 minute warning bell together with the outside bells during school hours and automatically cuts out the bell system nights, Saturdays and Sundays.

To the left of the clock is the signal system that allows the Supt. to call a pupil or teacher from any room to the office.

To the left of the signal switch board is the master box for the fire alarm system.

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The plumbing which is the most sanitary and modern on the market was installed by

ALBRECHT BROTHERS
Princeton, Ill.

These well known contractors have completed contracts in plumbing at Annawan and Wyand. They have also installed the heating plants and electric wiring in Princeton, Plano and other school systems.

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MR. J. F. SHEEAN
REPRESENTATIVE
W. B. READ & CO.

The furniture for the class rooms was selected with great care as to utility, appearance, comfort and strength.

This contract was awarded to

W. B. READ & CO.,
Bloomington, Ill.

Typical installations are found on pages 20 and 21 and the commercial rooms shown above.

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MAIN CORRIDOR

The above shows the arrangement of individual lockers in the main corridor.

This installation of all steel ventilated lockers was by

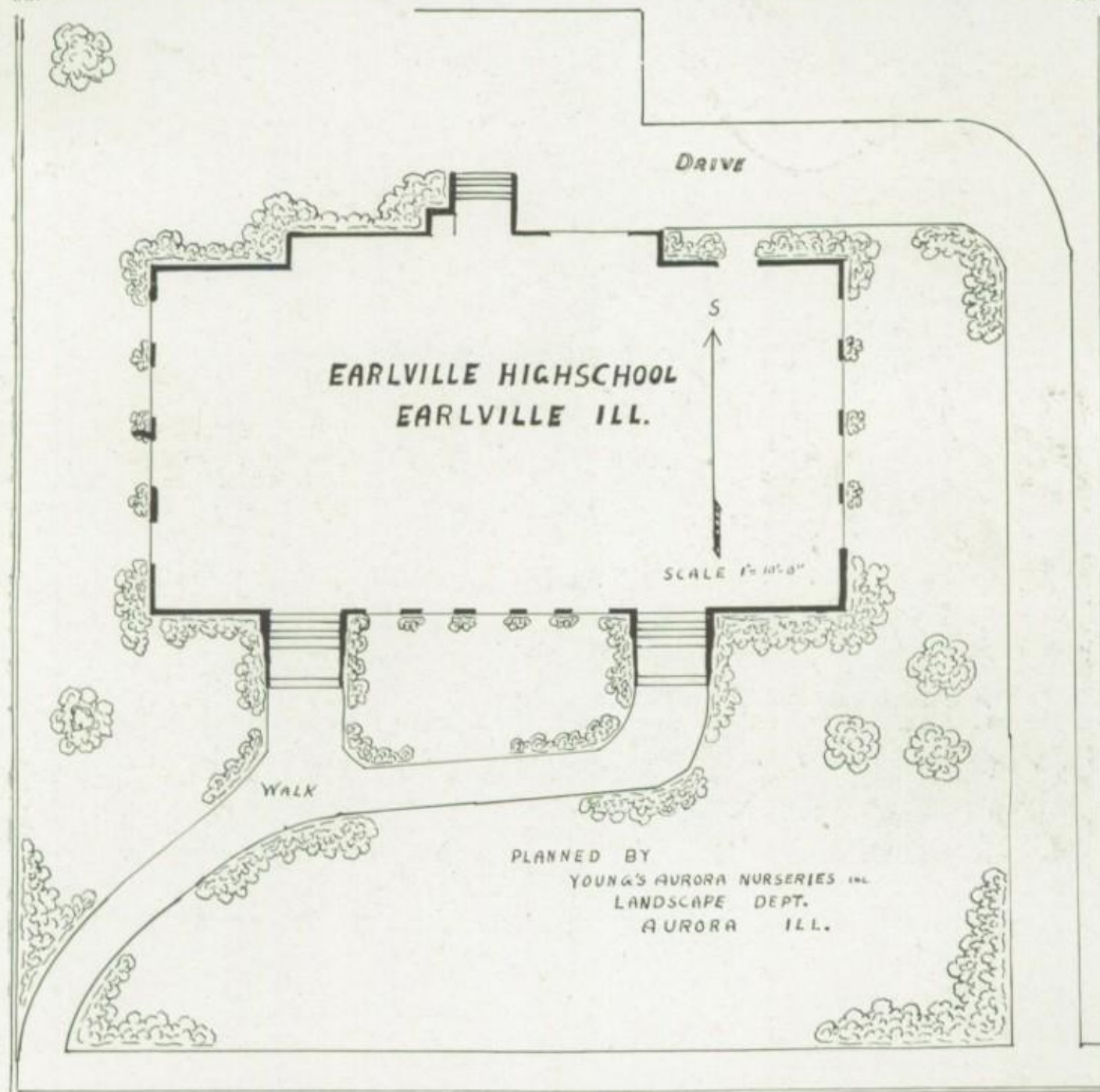
THE ALL STEEL EQUIPMENT CO.

Aurora, Ill.

Each pupil is furnished with a combination padlock and a designated locker which assures safety and privacy of property.

The finish of this installation harmonizes with the terrazo floor and wainscoting and has been the source of very favorable comment of visitors from large city school systems.

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SCHOOL GROUNDS



MR. J. A. YOUNG
LANDSCAPE ARTIST

The planning of the landscape details was by Mr. J. A. Young of Aurora.

The shrubbery and trees were furnished and planted by

YOUNG'S AURORA NURSERIES, INC.
Aurora, Ill.

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The photography for this book is mainly the work of the
HALLBERG STUDIOS
 La Salle and Princeton

COST OF NEW COMMUNITY HIGH SCHOOL

Cost of Building

K. J. Mulder, general contract	\$49,297.70	
Albrecht Bros., plumbing contract	4,480.36	
Geo. E. McGrath, electric contract	3,710.40	
American Foundry & Furnace Co., heating contract	6,975.80	
A. L. Pillsbury Associates, architects	3,254.24	\$64,718.50

Cost of Furniture and Equipment

Welfare Seating Co., pupil desks	\$ 981.67	
All Steel Equipment Co., lockers	738.05	
Underwood Typewriter Co., typewriters	890.25	
W. B. Read & Co., desks and chairs	1154.44	
Chas. D. Hill, laboratory equipment	2056.00	
Blackboards, piano, curtains, gas machine	1669.61	7,490.02

Cost of School Grounds

Site	\$1400.00	
Cement walks	439.40	
Surveying, deed, dirt, gravel, labor, etc.	727.10	2,566.50
Total cost		\$74,775.02

C l a s s e s

MEMORIES



ORRIN BAKER, PRESIDENT
GERTRUDE BOLTZ, SECRETARY

ALFRED DUDLEY, VICE PRES.
ALICE RHEA, TREASURER

ORRIN BAKER

Class Baseball 4.
Quartet 4.
Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4.
Class Play 4.
Boxing Champion.
Class President 3, 4.
Glee Club President 4.
Literary Society 1, 2.
Orchestra 3.

GERTRUDE BOLTZ

Class Officer 1, 3, 4.
Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Pres. 4.
Operetta 1, 2, 3.
State Music Contest 4.
Girls Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4.
Class Play 4.
Dramatic Club 1, 2, 3, 4.
Girls Trio 4.

ALFRED DUDLEY

Basketball 1, 2, 3; Captain 4.
Baseball 1, 3.
Track 3, 4.
Glee Club 1, 4.
Wrestling Champion.
Class Vice President 3, 4.
Athletic Ass'n President 4.
Class Play 4.

ALICE RHEA

Operetta 1, 2, 3.
Athletic Ass'n 3.
Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4.
Girls Basketball 1, 2.
Girls Baseball 1, 2.
Class Play 4.
Class Officer 4.

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HELEN BESCHORNER

Literary Society 1, 2.
Athletic Ass'n 1, 2.
Basketball Team 1, 3,
4.
Baseball 1, 2.
Class Prophecy 1927.

WILBUR BLAKESLEE

Basketball 2, 3, 4.
Scribblers Editor 3, 4.
Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4.
Operetta 3.
Extemporaneous
Speaking 4.
Class Officer 2, 3.
Honor Roll.
Memories Editor 4.

RAYMOND BOWERS

Basketball 3.
Glee Club 1.
Track 3, 4.
Wrestling 3.
Class Play 4.
Memories 4.
Class Basketball 4.
Student Manager 4.
Bronze Medal Typing
4.

SARA CAMPBELL

Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4.
Operetta 1, 2, 3.
Athletics 1, 2.
Senior Play 4.
Bronze Medal Typing
4.
Class Prophecy 4.

RUTH COLE

Operetta 1, 2, 3.
Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4.
Athletic Association
1, 2, 3, 4.
Baseball 1, 2.
Basketball 1, 2, 4.
Senior Play 4.
State Musical Contest
4.

LEWIS COOK

Glee Club 1, 2, 4.
Operetta 2, 3.
Class Will 4.
Class Basketball 4.
Class Baseball 4.
Expert Typist 4.

JUSTIN CORCORAN

Class Will.
Class Baseball 4.
Baseball 3.
Class Basketball 1, 4.
Play Ground Ball 1, 2.

GLENN EVERHAM

Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4.
Quartet 4.
Orchestra 2, 3.
Operetta 1, 2, 3.
Athletic Ass'n 1, 2, 3,
4.

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ARLENE FREY

Girls Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4.
 Quartet 2, 3, 4.
 Dramatic Club 1, 4.
 National Oratorical Contest 3.
 Morse Award 4.
 LaSalle Dist. Typing Contest 4.
 Honor Roll 1, 2, 3, 4.
 State Music Con. 4.
 Bronze and Silver Medal in Typing 4.

GRACE GREY

Operetta 1.
 Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4.
 Girls Baseball 1, 2.
 Girls Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4.
 Class Play 4.
 Dramatic Club 3.
 State Music Con. 4.
 Bronze Medal Typing 4.
 Athletic Ass'n 1, 2, 3, 4.

ELIZABETH HAMILL

Operetta 1, 2, 3.
 Literary Club 1, 2.
 Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4.
 Baseball 1, 2.
 Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4.
 Senior Play 4.
 Dramatics 3.
 Typing Bronze Medal 4.
 Athletic Association 1, 2, 3, 4.

HAROLD HOADLEY

Glee Club 1, 3, 4.
 Operetta 2, 3.
 Class Baseball 1, 4.
 Playground Ball 2.

EZRA KERN

Glee Club 1.
 Literary 1, 2.
 Basketball 2.

DANIEL HUMM

Scribbles 2, 3, 4.
 Dramatic Club 3, 4.
 President Class 2.
 Class Basketball 3, 4.
 Memories 4.
 Boys Glee Club 1, 2.
 Athletic Association 1, 2, 3, 4.
 Honor Roll 1, 2, 3, 4.
 Inter Class Track 4.

ELIZABETH LAMB

Typing Contest 4.
 Operetta 1.
 Girls Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4.
 Girls Baseball 1, 2.
 Expert Typist 4.
 Literary 1.

LUCILLE MCGAUGHEY

Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4.
 Operetta 1, 2, 3.
 Athletics 1, 2, 4.
 Senior Play 4.
 State Music Con. 4.
 Bronze Medal for Typing 4.
 Typing Contest 4.
 Class Prophecy 4.

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GALE SMITH

Basketball 4.
Baseball 2, 3.
Glee Club 1.

LYLE SMITH

Basketball 4.
Baseball 2, 3.
Glee Club 1.

NATHAN STROUSS

Basketball 4.
Class Basketball 1, 2, 4.
Track 2, 4.
Baseball 2, 4.
Playground Ball 2.
Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4.
Operetta 1, 2, 3.
Class History 4.
Literary Society 1, 2.

FREDERICK TORMAN

Glee Club 4.
Basketball 4.
Quartet 4.
Scribblers 4.
Memories 4.
Class Play 4.
Class Baseball 4.
Athletic Association 1, 2, 3, 4.
Honor Roll 1, 2, 3, 4.

MARY WEIS

Girls Quartette 2, 3, 4.
Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4.
Athletics 1, 2, 3, 4.
Secretary 1.
Pres. Glee Club 2.
Editorial Staff 4.
Senior Play 4.
Dramatics 1, 2, 3, 4.
Typing Award, Bronze Medal.

ERNEST TURK

Quartet 4.
Class Officer 2.
Athletic Ass'n 1, 2, 3, 4.
Class History 4.
Glee Club 4.
Literary 1, 2.
Civic Society 1.

EMMA WOODS

Literary Society 1, 2.
Baseball 1, 2.
Athletic Association 1, 2.

WALTER WILSON

Lincoln Essay 4.
Extemporaneous Speaking 4.
Track Captain 4.
Memories 4.
Class Basketball 4.
Playground Ball 2.

Junior Class



Top Row: Carl Haugen, James Van Horn, Harold Wold, Marvin Royston, Fred Tuttle, David Davis, Robert Cruise, Hershel Butcher, Harold Minard.

2nd Row: Dorothy Davisson, Joanna Marshall, Roberta Moore, Beatrice Roath, Harriett Strouss, Elmer Rave, Ralph Wilson, Margaret Klein, Jeanette Sellers.

3rd Row: Inez Golden, Lois Everham, Doris White, Marguerite Nottingham.

Sophomore Class



Top Row: Louise Bauer, Bessie Johnson, Lucile Dolder, Clara Kelley, Charlotte Larson.

2nd Row: LaVerne Blecher, Paul Harger, Robert Wilson, Gilbert Foster, Harlan Frank, Leonard Tillman, Gilbert Hoffman, George Gould, George Cole, Elsie Guede, Ida Tillman.

3rd Row: Adelaide Johnson, Lois Miller, Helen McGaughey, Lorena Durr, Ruth Minard, Lucille McCullah, Aletha Sheaffer, Martha Campbell.

4th Row: Charles Taylor, Ila Cooper, George Myers.

Freshman Class



Top Row: Garnette Cope, Benjamin Shoemaker, Bernard Atherton, Allen Cooper, John Beale, Earl McGary, Maurice Jornlin, Samuel Hamill, Doras Richards, Raleigh Shifflette, Albert Tillman, Lloyd Blecher, Clyde Shurlow, Adrian Cruise, Lowell Cook.

2nd Row: Ethel Woods, Rose Bauer, Agatha Lamb, Lois White, Evelyn Rhea, Christine Hensley, Lois Wold.

3rd Row: Ila Handley, Kathern Foote, Lenore Hughes, Edward Rochford, Carl Marshall, Vicna Foster, Mildred Erickson.

MEMORIES



FUTURE STUDENTS

Grade 5-6

Grades 7-8

Grades 3-4

Grade 1

Grade 2

MEMORIES



SCHOLARSHIP CUPS

CUP FOR EXCELLENCE IN GRAMMAR

1927 award to

Daniel Humm '27, George Myers '29, Charles Taylor '29, Carl Marshall '30.
Each made 100 % in National English Essentials Contest.

CUP FOR EXCELLENCE IN SPELLING

1927 award to Daniel Humm '27, Walter Wilson '27, Elmer Rave '28, Bernard Atherton '30.

CUP FOR EXCELLENCE IN ARITHMETIC

1927 award to Margaret Klein '28, Marguerite Nottingham '28, Harold Hoadley '27.

HONOR ROLL

HIGHEST HONORS

Award of Gold "E"

(No grade below A during four year course)

1926

Bessie Winnifred Hoadley
Lois Ellene Taylor

HONORS

Award of Silver "E"

(No grade below B during four year course)

1926

Allen L. Frey
Lyle E. Malley
Helen P. Marshall

1927

Wilbur Blakeslee
Gertrude Boltz
Arlene Frey
Daniel Humm
Frederick Torman

Organizations



THE MARVIN M. MORSE FOUNDATION

In 1912, Marvin M. Morse, of New Haven, Conn., a former well-known resident of Earlville and Paw Paw, left a bequest of about \$285 to the Earlville High School, the income from which he directed be used as an award for the best essay on ancient history or archæology. This sum laid dormant until 1926, when it amounted to about \$400. This makes possible the annual awarding of a ten dollar gold piece to the contestant whose paper the judges deem superior. This contest is open to all seniors. The judges are parties chosen outside the school. In 1926 the prize was awarded to Lois Ellene Taylor. Her subject was "Animal Worship in Egypt." Arlene Frey won the prize in 1927. Her subject was "Egypt."



Top Row: Supt. Taylor, Fred Torman, James Van Horn, George Myers.
2nd Row: Charles Taylor, Miss Bullock, Wilbur Blakeslee, Elmer Rave, Daniel Humm.

THE SCRIBBLERS

Each week the Scribblers edit from one to three columns of school news for the Public School section of the Earlville Leader. The following are typical articles.

THRIFT

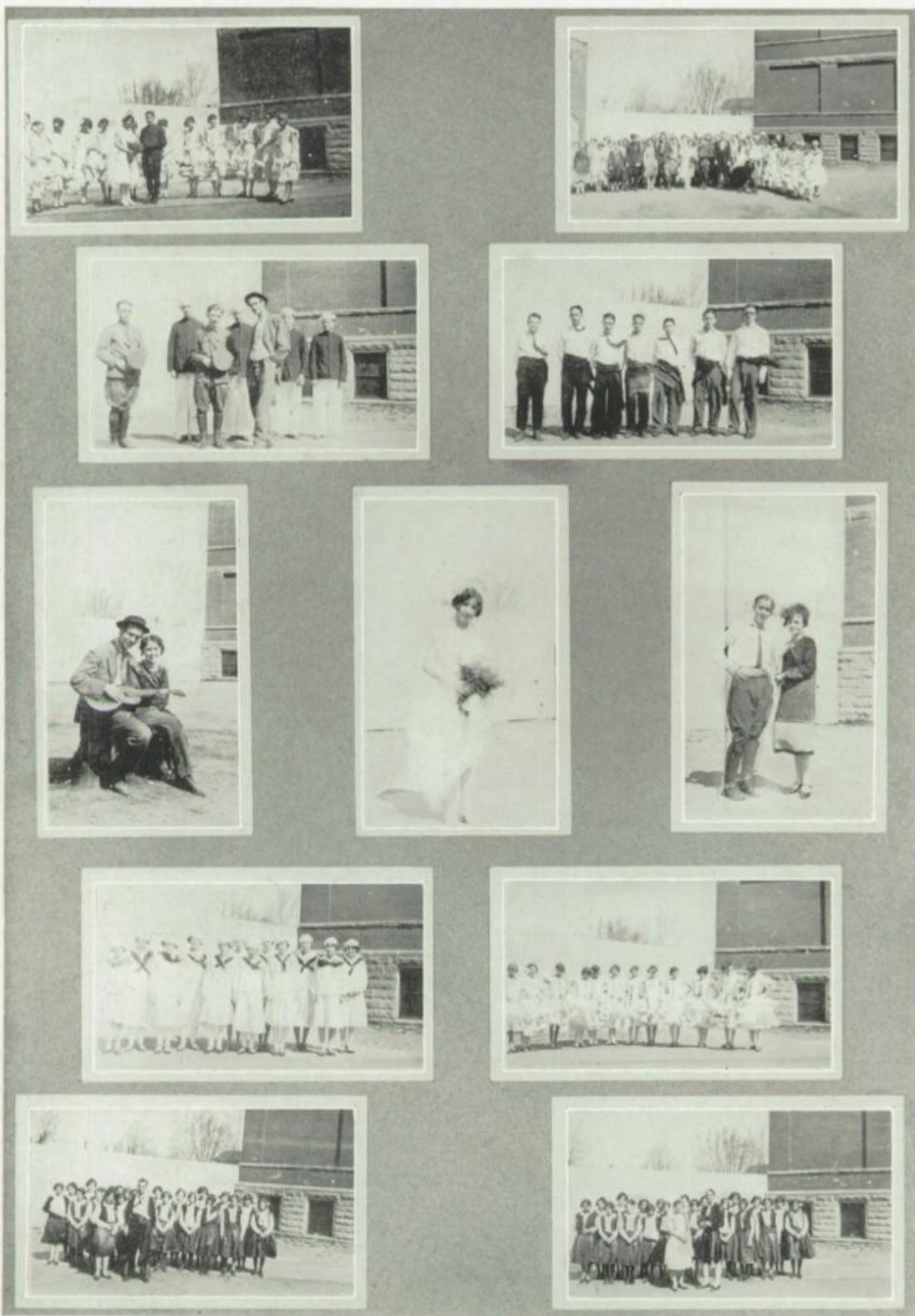
In April, 1926, the Earlville National Bank installed The Automatic Receiving Teller in the Earlville Public schools. Before the close of the school year every pupil of the grades and high school had invested in savings stamps. The amount of savings June 1, 1926, was \$610.80. For the year ending April, 1927 the amount of savings was \$1302.17.

SALVATION ARMY TAG DAY

The Earlville pupils are always responsive to the appeals of humanity. For the Salvation Army Tag Day in 1927 the pupils raised \$123.46 against \$102.90 for the previous year. The girls who worked for this cause were divided into two teams. The first team with Harriet Strouss as captain was composed of Kathern Foote, Ila Cooper and Lois Miller. Roberta Moore was captain of the second team. Her helpers were Lois White, Agatha Lamb, Inez Golden, Margaret Klein, Aletha Sheaffer and Lorena Durr.

The first team won. Kathern Foote turned in the largest amount, \$29.00. Walter Wilson and George Myers were the solicitors of larger subscriptions.

MEMORIES



THE BELLE OF BARCELONA

MEMORIES

OPERETTA

"THE BELLE OF BARCELONA"

GIVEN BY THE EARLVILLE
HIGH SCHOOL GLEE CLUBS

Thursday, April 29 at 8 o'clock — Gymnasium

CAST OF CHARACTERS

Lius de Montero	.....	A Wealthy Plantation Owner
	Vernon Rowan	
Gloria de Montero	.....	His Wife, an Aristocrat
	Mary Weis	
Margarita	.....	An Accomplished Daughter
	Gertrude Boltz	
Mercedes	.....	Her Sister
	Bessie Hoadley	
Francisco de la Vega, Chief Inspector at the Custom House	.....	Who Claims to be a Nobleman
	John Dupee	
Pedro	.....	Manager of de Montero's Plantation
	Lyle Malley	
Emilio	.....	A Toreador, Suitor of Mercedes
	Wilbur Blakeslee	
Don Juan	} Student Friends of Emilio	Robert Cruise
Don Jose		Richard Hughes
Dona Marcela	} Friends of Margarita	Martha Campbell
Dona Anita		Ruth Prentice
Martha Matilda Ayers	.....	An English Governess
	Helen Rochford	
Lieutenant Harold Wright	.....	A Custom Inspector from the U. S.
	Chas. Lyons	
Patrick Malone	.....	Companion of Hal
	Harvey Beale	
Captain Colton	.....	Of the Cruiser Montana
	Allen Frey	
	Chorus of U. S. Marines	
	Chorus of Spanish Students	

SCENE—Plazo del Rey, Barcelona, Spain.

TIME—La Fiesta de los Toreros (Festival of the Toreadors).

ACT I Afternoon.

ACT II Night of the Same Day.

ACT III Two Weeks Later.



SENIOR PLAY
"GREEN STOCKINGS"

Friday Evening, May 28, 1926, at Earlville Gymnasium

CAST

Admiral Grice, An Old Sea Dog Still on the Market	Harvey Beale
William Faraday, A Superficial Man of Fashion	Lyle Malley
Colonel Smith, The Phantom Lover	John Dupee
Robert Tarver, An Empty Headed Swell	Charles Lyons
James Raleigh, Who Came To Tco Late	Allen Frey
Henry Steele, Who Had a Similar Awakening	Dwayne Larson
Martin, The Family Servant	Lewis Rex
Celia Faraday, Who Balks at Her Third Pair of Green Stockings ..	Ruth Prentice
Madge and Evelyn, Celia's Married Sisters	Bessie Hoadley, Beatrice Strouss
Phyliss, Celia's Unmarried Sister, the Cause of the Rebellion	Helen Rochford
Aunt Ida, A Good Old Soul	Helen Marshall

ACT I. Living Room in Mr. Faraday's Home.

ACT II. Same—Eight Months Later.

ACT III. Same Day, 8 P.M.

BETWEEN THE ACTS

Class History	Richard Hughes
Class Prophecy	Vernon Rowan
Class Will	Lucile Harger and Eva Keen
Class Poem	John Dupee

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SENIOR CLASS PLAY

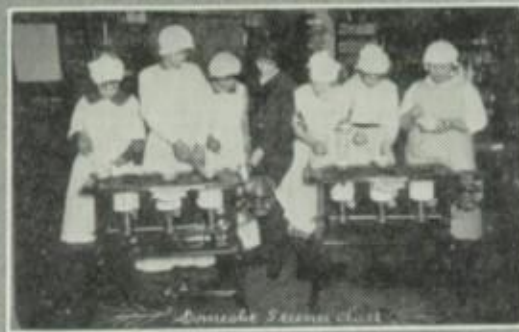
May 20, 1927

ALL ON ACCOUNT OF POLLY

Cast of Characters

Polly Perkins, the heroine	Gertrude Boltz
Mr. Beverly, a New York business man	Orrin Baker
Mrs. Beverly, his wife	Mary Weis
Baldwin Beverly, his son, the hero	Alfred Dudley
Hortense Beverly, the "musical" daughter	Ruth Cole
Geraldine Beverly, the incorrigible younger daughter	Grace Grey
Harkins, the butler, with an English accent	Raymond Bowers
Marie, a French maid with an Irish accent	Alice Rhea
Miss Rembrandt, a manicurist	Sara Campbell
Miss Bushnell, a hair dresser	Lucille McGaughey
Mrs. Feather-Stone } of the "400" }	Elizabeth Hamill
Mrs. Chadfield	Arlene Frey
Silas Young, a loan shark	Daniel Humm
Peter Hartley, Hortense's fiance	Wilbur Blakeslee
Pudgy Tompkins, a child from the slums	Zelma Smith
Tommy Tompkins, her small brother	Aubrey Bader

MEMORIES



Miss Smith

High School Reception 1922

FORMER TEACHERS

Achievements

Winner of
AMERICAN YOUTH
AWARD
For Illinois

PLAN AND PURPOSE
OF AWARD

Each state was invited to select the boy and girl of high school age, whether in or out of school, who either by the performance of some act of heroism or devotion or by virtue of some other fitting qualification, should be adjudged its best representative of American ideals in youth.



LOIS ELLENE TAYLOR

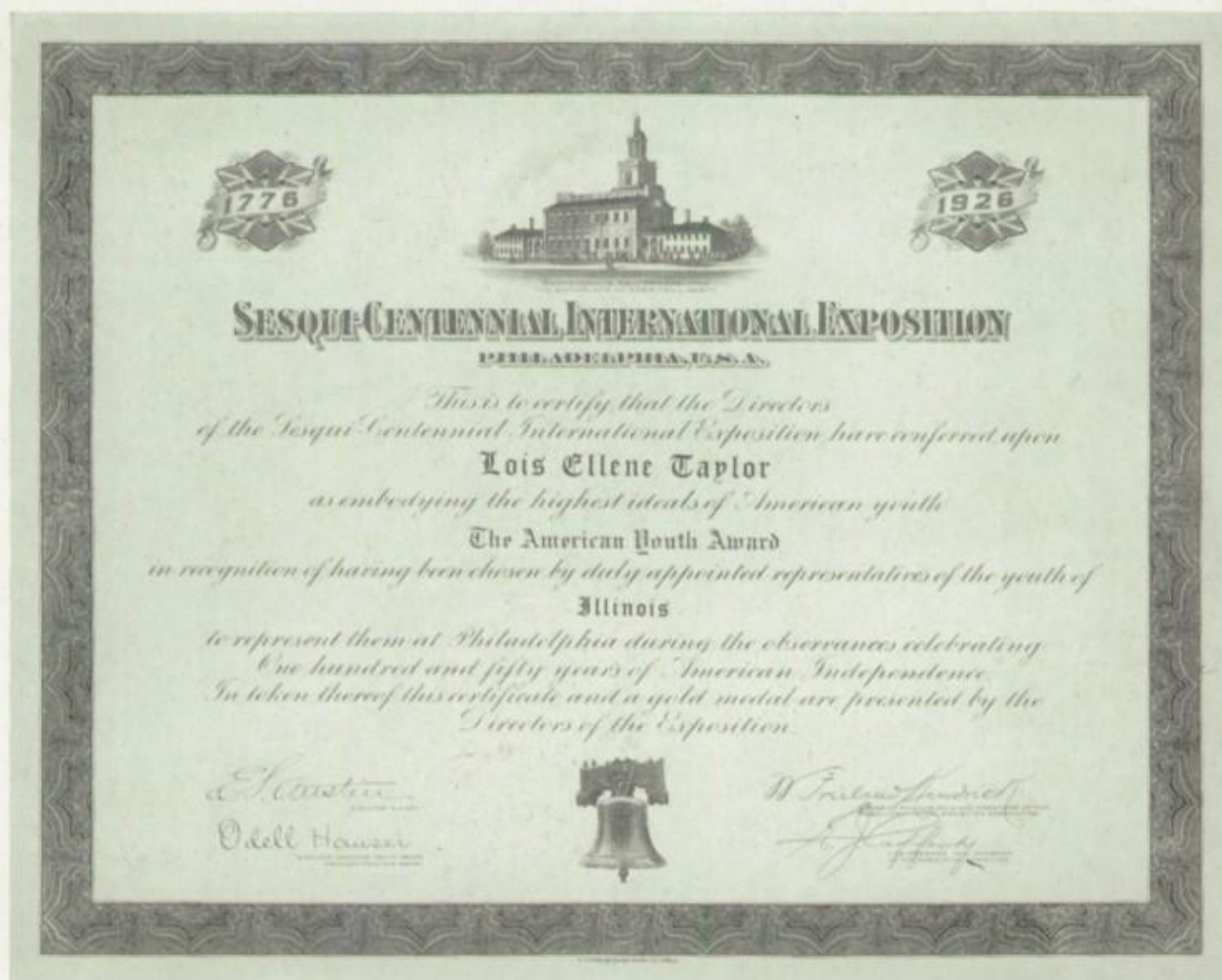
These representatives were invited to be the guests of honor of the directors of the Sesqui-Centennial International Exposition at Philadelphia from the time they left their homes until they returned, with all living expenses and transportation paid. In addition to the five days spent at the Exposition and historic scenes in Philadelphia and Valley Forge they were given a one day trip to Atlantic City and a two day trip to Washington, D. C. and Mt. Vernon. At the White House a commemorative gold medal and certificate were presented to each by President Coolidge.

Citation that won the award.

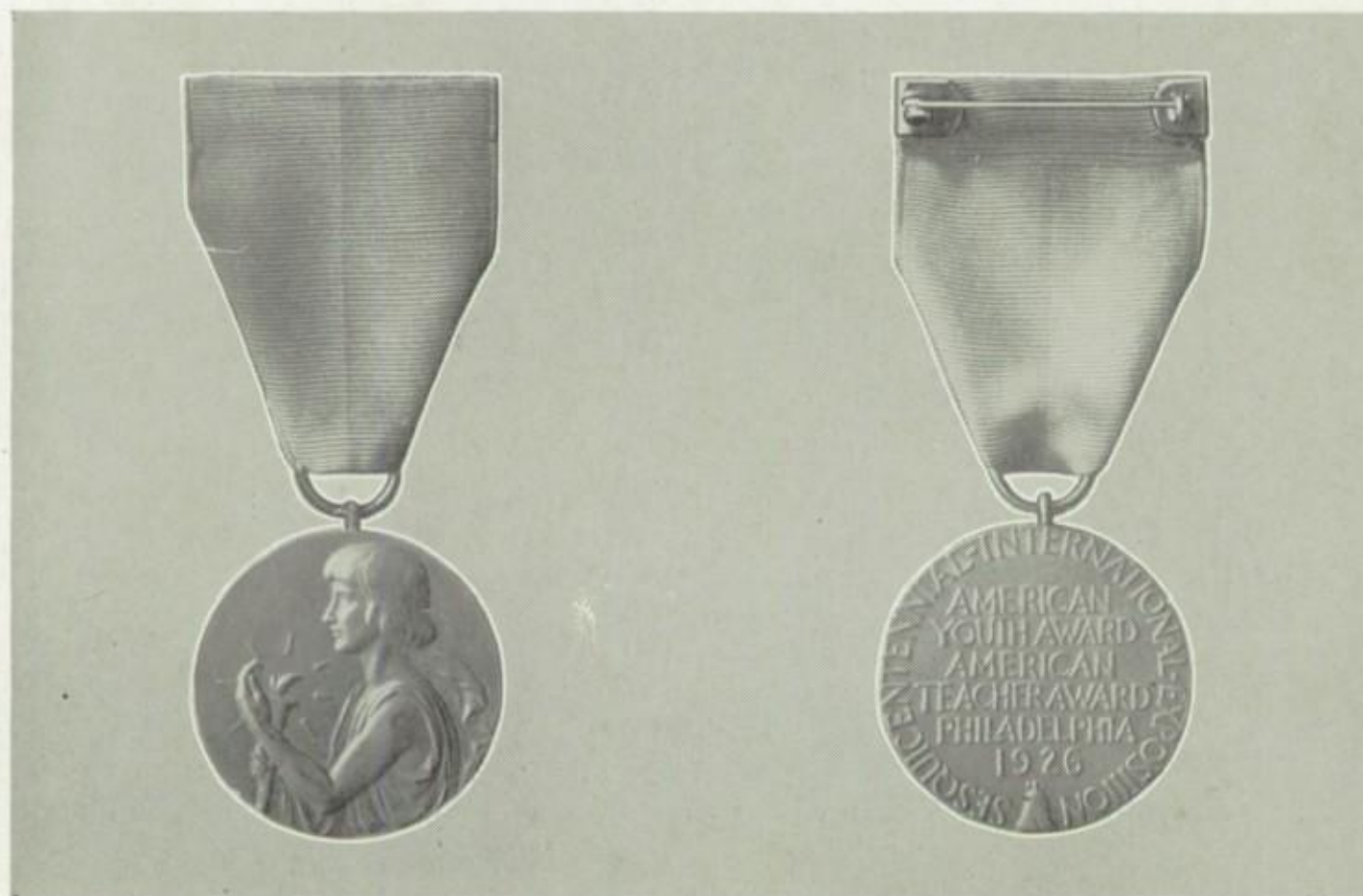
"Lois Ellene Taylor for three years has taken full charge of motherless home and younger brothers; completes high school course in three years with seventeen credits and grades of 90% or better in all subjects for the entire course; developed cultural side by learning piano and violin; member Sunday school orchestra, member class basketball team; represented school in Chicago Daily News track meet; devout church member; persuaded two school mates to unite with church; won award in historical research; highest rank in graduating class. In September, will enter state university, to become physician." Sponsors: Margaret Bullock and Theodosia Keeler, Earlville H. S. teachers.

(Entered Pre-Medical Course University of Vermont. Became member of Pi Beta Phi Fraternity, in the home chapter of Mrs. Calvin Coolidge.)

SESQUI-CENTENNIAL AWARD

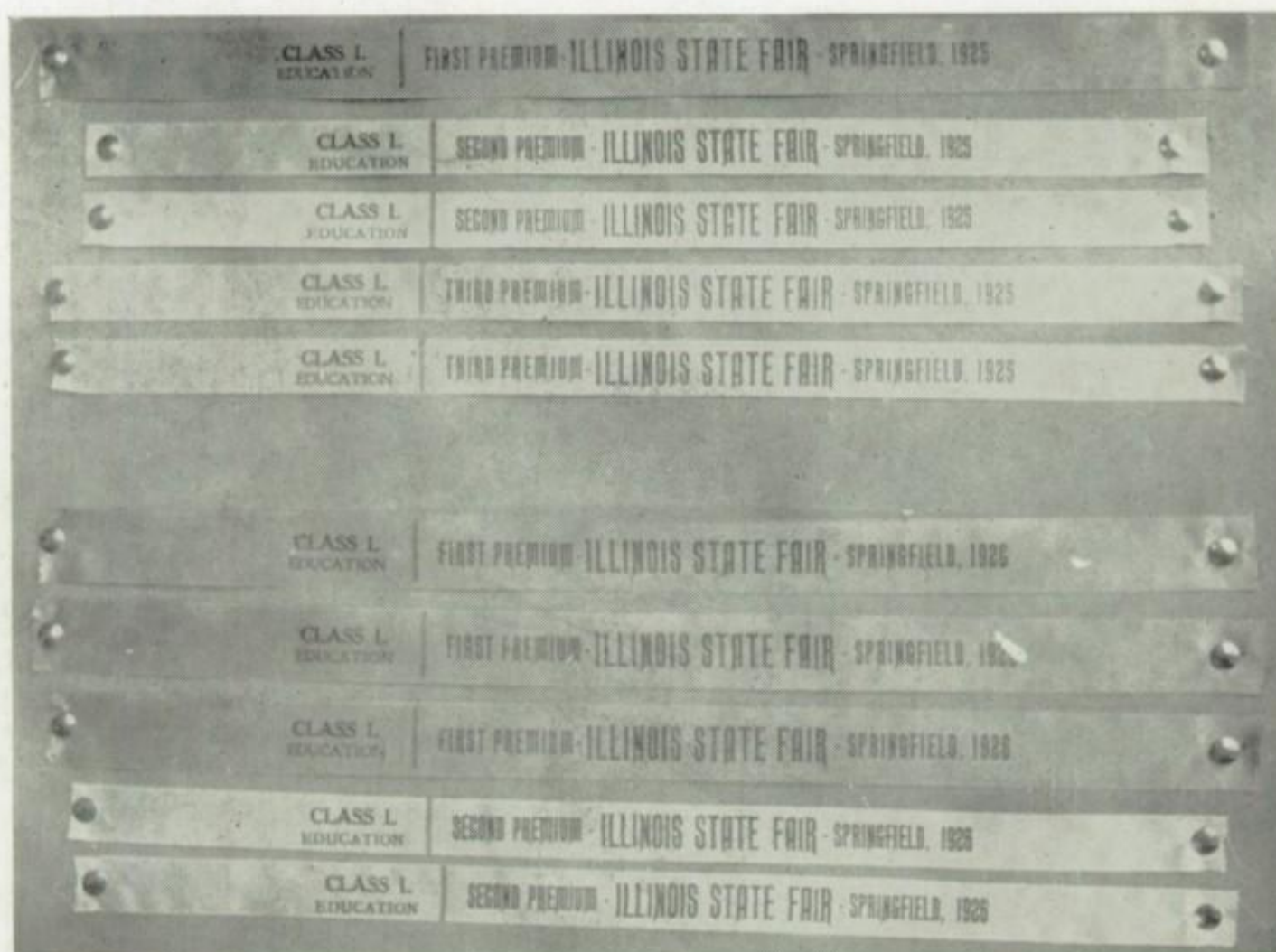


CERTIFICATE OF AWARD



GOLD MEDAL PRESENTED BY PRESIDENT COOLIDGE

MEMORIES



EARLVILLE COMMUNITY HIGH SCHOOL

Winnings at ILLINOIS STATE FAIR SPRINGFIELD

1925

First Premium—The Humanities	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$20.00
Second Premium—Domestic Science	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$10.00
Second Premium—Agriculture	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$10.00
Third Premium—Mechanical Drawing, Manual Training	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$5.00
Third Premium—Natural Science	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$5.00

1926

First Premium—The Humanities	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$20.00
First Premium—Domestic Science	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$20.00
First Premium—Student Activities	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$20.00
Second Premium—Mechanical Drawing	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$10.00
Second Premium—Natural Science	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$10.00



Top Row: Ila Cooper, Miss Davis, Miss Bullock.
 2nd Row: Ila Handley, Lenore Hughes, Grace Grey, Lucille McGaughey, Lois Everham, Mary Weis.
 3rd Row: Lois White, Ruth Cole, Dorothy Davisson, Arlene Frey, Gertrude Boltz, Doris White, George Myers.

STATE MUSIC AND PUBLIC SPEAKING CONTEST

At Normal, Ill.

Girl's Glee Club—First Place	- - - - -	Silver Cup
Soprano Solo—Dorothy Davisson	- - - - -	Second Place

District Contest

At De Kalb, Ill.

MUSIC

Girl's Glee Club	- - - - -	First Place
Soprano Solo—Dorothy Davisson	- - - - -	First Place
Contralto Solo—Mary Weis	- - - - -	First Place

Awarded District Banner in Music Contest.

Esther Davis, Music Supervisor

Marion Farrar, Accompanist.

PUBLIC SPEAKING

Oratory—George Myers	- - - - -	First Place
Extempore Speaking—George Myers	- - - - -	First Place
Dramatic Reading	- - - - -	Ila Cooper

Awarded District Banner in Public Speaking. Instructors: F. G. Taylor, Margaret Bullock.

NATIONAL ORATORICAL CONTEST

on

The American Constitution

1926

District Contest at Ottawa

George Myers—Hamilton and the Constitution - - - Second Place

1927

District Contest at LaSalle

George Myers—The Preservation of the Constitution - - Third Place

LITTLE TEN ORATORICAL LEAGUE

1927

District Contest at Earlville

Extempore Speaking—Wilbur Blakeslee - - - - - First Place

Extempore Speaking—George Myers - - - - - Second Place

Recitation—Ila Cooper - - - - - Tie Second Place

Oration—George Myers - - - - - Third Place

Awarded District Banner

Final Contest at Waterman

Extempore Speaking—George Myers - - - - - First Place

Sandwich awarded winning Trophy.

MEMORIES

TYPING AND STENOGRAPHIC AWARDS

Underwood silver medals for writing 50 words per minute.

Lewis Cook	Arlene Frey	Elizabeth Lamb
Gertrude Boltz	Lucille McGaughey	

Underwood bronze medals for writing 40 words per minute:

Gertrude Boltz	Mary Weis	Joanna Marshall
Lucille McGaughey	Lyle Smith	Grace Grey
Sara Campbell	Orrin Baker	Elizabeth Hamill
Raymond Bowers	Dorothy Davisson	Helen Beschorner
	David Davis	

Underwood certificate of Proficiency for writing 30 words per minute:

Herchel Butcher	Marguerite Nottingham	Emma Woods
David Davis	Elmer Rave	Helen Beschorner
Lois Everham	Beatrice Roath	Justin Corcoran
Inez Golden	Jeanette Sellers	Harold Hoadley
Margaret Klein	James Van Horn	Daniel Humm
Roberta Moore	Walter Wilson	Gale Smith

Underwood Competent Typist Certificate. Fifty words per minute, net, not more than five errors:

Gertrude Boltz	Arlene Frey	Elizabeth Lamb	...
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Gregg Artist Certificates. For artistic stenography—perfect in outline and theory:

Inez Golden	Roberta Moore	Margaret Klein
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Gregg Transcribing Certificates, 60 words per minute:

Lois Everham	Beatrice Roath
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Royal Gold Medal for typing 45 words per minute:

Elizabeth Lamb

Royal Certificates for writing 35 words per minute:

Joanna Marshall	Mary Weis	Elizabeth Lamb
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Illinois Valley Commercial Contest

First Year Typing

Earlville H. S. tied for fourth place with LaSalle-Peru H. S.

Stenography

Lois Everham fifth place (26 contestants).

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BOTANICAL AWARD

Each year since 1924 the Woman's Mutual Improvement Club has awarded a silver cup to the member of high school botany class who presented the best botanical survey of Earlville.

AWARDS

1924-25									
Trees of Earlville	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Ruby Keen
1925-26									
Shrubs of Earlville	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Isadore Hughes
1926-27									
Perennials of Earlville	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	George Myers

STUNT NIGHT

Shortly after opening school in September, Stunt Night is held to promote school spirit, class activities and raise funds for the athletic association. Each class puts on a "stunt" to furnish entertainment. The class presenting the best stunt has the class numerals engraved upon the silver "Stunt Cup" among the high school trophies.

The 1926-27 stunts were:

Vaudeville Act	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Class of 1927
A Surgical Operation	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Class of 1928
Fortune Telling	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Class of 1929
Fashion Show	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Class of 1930

The cup was awarded to 1930.

OLD IRONSIDES

The Earlville Community High School was presented with a beautiful framed copy of "Old Ironsides" for their 100 % contribution to save and re-fit the historic warship "The Constitution."

Athletics



It has been said

ACHIEVEMENT IS THE GREATEST THING IN THE WORLD

One of the greatest incentives to the younger generation is to have before them examples of honorable attainment and fine sportsmanship. To this end we present the above medal awarded to a former member of Earlville High School while a senior at the University of Chicago.

Mr. Crisler, who is now Assistant Coach with Alonzo A. Stagg—the Grand Old Man of the University of Chicago, is an inspiration for the athlete of today to bring out the best in himself.

LITTLE TEN TRACK MEET

At Earlville, May 10, 1927

Alfred Dudley

Javelin Throw, 156 ft., 1st Place; 50 yd. Dash, 2nd; Discus Hurl, 2nd;
Broad Jump, 3rd; Pole Vault, tie 3rd.

Walter Wilson—High Hurdles	- - - - -	1st
Nathan Strouss—Low Hurdles	- - - - -	1st
Carl Marshall—Low Hurdles	- - - - -	2nd
Leonard Tillman—Pole Vault	- - - - -	Tie 3rd

Sandwich 51 points, Leland 29, Earlville 26, Hineckley 11, Rollo 10, Waterman 0.

BASEBALL

A suitable trophy has been provided for the winner of the class league in baseball.

SENIORS

Hoadley, c.
Dudley, p., Capt.
Cook, 1b.
Strouss, 2b.
Corcoran, s.s.
G. Smith, 3b.
Baker, l.f., Mgr.
Torman, c.f.
Blakeslee, r.f.

JUNIORS

Cruise, c., Capt.
Van Horn, p.
Rave, s.s.
Tuttle, 1b.
Haugen, 2b.
Wold, 3b.
Minard, l.f.
Butcher, r.f.
Davis, c.f.

SOPHOMORES

Harger, c., Capt.
Blecher, p.
G. Foster, 1b., Mgr.
L. Tillman, 2b.
Cole, s.s.
Wilson, 3b.
Hoffman, l.f.
Frank, c.f.
Taylor, r.f.

FRESHMEN

Atherton, p., Capt.
Marshall, c.
Rochford, s.s.
A. Cruise, 1b.
Blecher, 2b.
Shifflette, 3b.
Cope, l.f.
Shurlow, c.f.
Jornlin, r.f.

(The series had not been completed as this copy goes to press.)

MEMORIES



Top Row: Harold Miller, Clifford Harkness, Edward Graham, Willis McColgin, Ellis Greyer.
 Second Row: Edward Lewis, Paul Zimmerman, Ronald Kukuk, John Carney.



Supt. L. B. Mann, Coach
 Left to Right: John Greyer, Earl Hensler, Harold Torman, Harold Miller, Paul Zimmerman, Chester Hyde, Frederick Wiley.

MEMORIES



Top Row: Roy Kossert, Fred Welch, Ralph Dupee, Lloyd Graham, Russell Conklin.
 Second Row: H. E. Mann, Coach; John Greyer, Paul Zimmerman, Chester Hyde, Harold Torman, Theodore Zimmerman.



Top Row: Supt. L. B. Mann, Coach, Wendell Abernathy, Raymond Meinke, Ralph Dupee, Russell Conklin.
 Second Row: Ellis Greyer, Lloyd Graham, Fred Welch, Harold Torman, Roy Kossert, Theodore Zimmerman, Irving Strouss, Mascot.

MEMORIES



Top Row: Dwayne Larson, Robert Ream, Kenneth Dupee, Paul Kaminky, Clifford Hyde, Lewis Rex, Graham Leonard, Vernon Rowan, Paul Boltz, James Woods.
 Second Row: Carl Smith, James Gatiss, Raymond Meinke, Lloyd Graham, Theodore Zimmerman, Roy Kossert, Harvey Beale, John Dupee, Elwood Dudley, John McGary, Irving Strouss, Mascot.



1924-25

Top Row: Frank Brannon, Harvey Beale, Supt. Mann, Wilbur Blakeslee, John Dupee, Ezra Kern.
 Second Row: Charles Lyons, Alfred Dudley, Archie Meinke, Paul Boltz.
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1925-26

John Dupce, Charles Lyons, Harvey Beale, Capt., Alfred Dudley, Archie Meinko.



1926-27

Top Row: Wilbur Blakeslee, Harold Miller, Coach, Fred Torman.
Second Row: Nathan Strouss, Lyle Smith, Alfred Dudley, Capt., Ralph Wilson, Gale Smith.



THE EARLVILLE CARDINALS 1926-27

Standing: Elmer Boltz, Harold T. Miller, Harold Torman, Capt., Archie Meinke, Chester Hyde, F. G. Taylor, Mgr.

Kneeling: John McGary, Russell Conklin, Alfred Dudley.

Won 7 games, Lost 5 games.

HIGH SCHOOL BASKET BALL SUMMARY

1920-21

Won Little Ten Tournament

1921-22

Won 20 games, lost one game
Won Little Ten Championship
Won Little Ten Tournament
Won District Tournament

1922-23

Won 16 games, lost 3
Won Little Ten Tournament
Won Little Ten Championship

1923-24

Won 25 games, lost 6 games

1924-25

Won 16 games, lost 1
Won Little Ten Championship, 1000%

1925-26

Won 22 games, lost 5 games
Won Little Ten Tournament

1926-27

Won 20 games, lost 10
In Little Ten, won 9 games, lost 2 games

MEMORIES



Girls' Basketball 1910.
Football 1912

Football Team 1910.

Girls' Basketball 1904
Baseball 1922

FIRST GIRL'S BASKET BALL TEAM 1904-6

1. Perley Walker, '06, Forward
2. Myrtle Wiley, '07, Forward
3. Adele Goble, '06, Center
4. Edith Adams, '06, 2nd Center
5. Julia Lincoln, '05, 2nd Center

Mr. John E. Clum, Coach

6. Lillian Stewart, '05, Guard
Captain
7. Mary Taylor, '06, Guard
8. Nora Albert, '06, 2nd Center
9. Blanch Parshall, '07, Guard

Miss Sadie Phillips, Helper and Advisor

Won 8 games, lost 1 game

MEMORIES



GIRLS CLASS OF 1927
BOYS CLASS OF 1927
CLASS BASKET BALL CHAMPIONS

Historical Survey

MR. L. J. QUANTRELL, FIRST SUPERINTENDENT

According to the "History of LaSalle County," "The first school was kept in Levi Carter's house by a lady named Hosford." This same history also records the fact that "A. Van Namee came in 1843 and found the pioneer schoolhouse built, so that it must have been erected previous to that year." The exact location of this particular building has not been ascertained. There were several schools in this vicinity previous to 1850 and it may be that the "pioneer schoolhouse" was one of the following group.

School was held in a building where the Precinct Schoolhouse now stands. On the site of the Alexander Hamill home on Ottawa Street another school was built. And classes were also conducted where Charles Lincoln's home is built on his farm north of town.

Just when the first building was erected on the grounds of the present school on Stilson Avenue is not known. But it is known that on the night of September 13, 1858, this practically new brick building was utterly demolished by an explosion of dynamite.

About two years later another building was constructed, but in the meantime the younger generation was not enjoying a prolonged holiday, for instruction was given in several places about the town. A small house on the spot now occupied by the R. O. Dupee home, north of the track, rooms over



MEMORIES



FIRST BUILDING 1883-1900

Robinson's Drug Store, a house on Dr. Pierce's lot on Ottawa Street, all served as school rooms. Part of the house now occupied by Will Prentice and his family was at that time standing on the northeast corner of the Harrie Town lot and this was used in like manner. On the northeast corner of Ottawa and Winthrop Streets stands now, as then, what is known as the Brown building. It was here that Miss Hattie Patterson conducted a private school.

One of her pupils relates that Miss Patterson's favorite form of punishment for a disobedient student was to snap him on the ear with a stiff piece of whalebone. On page 108 may be found the picture of a group of girls who attended this school in 1858. You will note that one of the girls in the front row holds something in her hand. The girl is Bell Warren (Mrs. E. S. Snow) who tells that oranges were scarce in those days and that she had borrowed an orange to hold in her hand while the picture was being taken.

In the fall of 1860 school was opened in the new two-room school house built where the brick one had stood. It was a wooden affair having one room upstairs and one on the ground floor. At two different times later four rooms were added; and this six room building accommodated the youth of the community until 1900. At that time part of this old wooden structure was moved to Main Street and is now used by Dr. Tillman for his office.

It was not until the fall of 1883 that a regular high school was organized under the fine leadership of L. J. Quantrell. This course of study offered only two years of work. In 1893 and 1900 the third and fourth years of work were added to the course.

Toward the end of the century it became obvious that the old building was no longer adequate either in capacity or equipment, and after two or three votings, the brick building that now houses the grades of Dist. 304 was erected. In January 1901 the doors of the new building were opened.

The following have served as superintendents: Mr. Heslet, Mr. Hurd, Frank Hall, L. J. Quantrell, M. M. Alden, J. H. Morton, A. R. Moore, H. H. Robinson, G. V. Clum, J. E. Clum, H. L. Kessler and F. L. Bennett, whose length of service varied from one to four years each except Mr. G. V. Clum

MEMORIES



PUBLIC SCHOOL BUILDING, ERECTED 1900

whose efficient administrative ability and fine personal qualities so won the admiration of the patrons and the good will of the pupils that he remained thirteen years, from 1895 to 1908.

In 1924 Mr. L. B. Mann succeeded Mr. Bennett. Mr. Mann with his untiring energy and whole hearted interest in boys and girls labored hard and long for the betterment of the Earlville schools. Under his administration a four acre athletic field and a gymnasium were added to the school plant. Through his ability in organization the Earlville Community High School district was formed.

Mr. Mann was a great lover of boys and athletic sports. Through his leadership and efficient coaching Earlville won an enviable position in the basketball annals of Northern Illinois, winning many basketball championships and tournaments among which will ever stand out the District Championship of 1922.

With the regrets of many Supt. Mann left Earlville in 1925 in response to a call to his former superintendency in Beech Grove, Ind.

Supt. F. G. Taylor came to Earlville in September 1925. During his administration he has won the support of the community and the school has made steady progress. A fine new building has been erected and a commercial department has been added. Standardized tests show the scholarship to be high. He believes that the school stands for opportunity and the great incentive of the student body should be achievement, not only in the class room but in all forms of school activities.

The Little Ten Basketball Tournament trophy of 1926 has been added to the fine display of former days.

MEMORIES



SUPT. L. B. MANN, ORGANIZER OF
EARLVILLE COMMUNITY HIGH SCHOOL

Through its educational exhibits at the Illinois State Fair Earlville is known throughout the state. In 1926 Earlville stood highest in its class at Springfield. In music and public speaking Earlville brought home both banners from the district contest and were the best in their class in music events at the state contest. Earlville was one of the two high schools of the state to represent Illinois at the Sesqui Centennial Exposition at Philadelphia July 4, 1926. With the attention that is given to these activities scholarship is not neglected. Trophies for excellence in grammar, arithmetic and spelling are annually awarded. The Senior class of 1927 has set a noble example for the encouragement of general high standing by presenting to the school a Scholarship Honor Shield, upon which shall be engraved each year the names of Honor Students.

As a result of the visit of Mr. J. C. Hanna, High School Supervisor of the Department of Public Instruction to our high school the administration was commended, Earlville was congratulated, and Earlville Community High School was given the highest possible rating of State Department of Public Instruction.

It was Mr. Taylor who conceived the idea of Memories and through his guidance it has been made possible.

Items of Interest

From Minutes of Meetings of Board of Education

April 29, 1893—Proposition to issue bond for \$15,000 defeated 181 to 29. Tax levy for '93-'94, \$3,500.

Sept. 11, 1893—Motion carried to allow the teachers a Thursday and Friday early in October to attend World's Fair.

F. G. Keeler appointed truant officer and Miss Burlingame to hear excuses, etc., for non-attendance of pupils.

Salary schedules: Principal \$100 per month; other teachers \$45 per month.

April 7, 1900—Proposition to issue bonds for \$12,000 to erect new school building carried 156 to 41.

May 14, 1900—Paul O. Moratz of Bloomington employed as architect.

June 26, 1900—Grieg and Baum awarded contract for new building.

July 23, 1900—Board met in school yard and located northeast corner of the new building 101 feet west of east line and 53 feet south of north line of lot.

August 11, 1900—C. A. Swenson, Earlville, Ill., employed as superintendent of construction of new building.

August 25, 1900—Bonds for \$12,000 issued in \$500 denomination at 4% payable at First National Bank, Earlville, Ill., \$1500 to be retired annually, 1902-1909.

January 2, 1901—Dave Loveless and wife employed for janitor service at \$325 per year.

March 14, 1904—A music supervisor authorized at salary of \$6.25 per week.

November 11, 1907—Resolution: This board stands for honest work and any student found copying from another's work or paper shall on proof of the same receive no credit for said study. And resolved further that the Supt. shall preserve order at any cost.

May 9, 1910—"In view of the fact that teachers must at all times spend considerable sums of money that they may appear in school and out of school in proper clothing we recommend that they be employed at \$60 per calendar month."

April 15, 1916—A school tax of not more than 2% for educational purposes authorized at annual election. 38 for, 1 against.

January 19, 1917—Bonds for \$3,000 for gymnasium voted 161 for, 18 against.

March 1, 1918—Official high school cap and gown adopted for baccalaureate and commencement.

September 29, 1918—At request of War Department, Supt. Mann granted leave of absence.

October 20, 1918—E. W. Vickery employed at Superintendent for remainder of school year.

August 6, 1920—A four-acre athletic field purchased for \$2800.

Dec. 30, 1926—Bonds for \$75,000 voted for new building. 356 for, 179 against.

MEMORIES



DAVID KINKEAD

ANNA DODGE TURNER

CLYDE M. SNOW

First graduating class as they appear today.



HIGH SCHOOL 1886

No. 1. Bottom Row, Agnes Alkinson, '87.

No. 3 Third Row, Herbert Wiley, '86.

MEMORIES



FIRST GRADUATING CLASS 1885

Clyde M. Snow	David A. Kinkaid	Anna Dodge
Georgia Kinney Davis at present.	David A. Kinkaid at present.	Georgia Kinney, '86.

MEMORIES



James A. Kinkead, '88

Mabel Conklin, '88

Gilbert Wiley, 88

Sherman Doane, '88

Rose Schrecengost, '89

Rhoba Norton, '90

Millicent Everham, '90

Nora Wilson, '90

MEMORIES



Class of 1891. Top Row: Lucy Brennan, Theophilus Dinsmore, Minnie Chapman, M. M. Alden, Supt., Lura Paine, John Atkinson, Laura Haas.
Second Row: Nellie Schmidt, Ida Thompson, Josie Beale, Fred Keeler, Ruth Wiley, Lou Conklin, Etta Foote, Clara Binder.



Class of 1892. Top Row: Mamie Graham, Laverna Davison, Rose Wiley, Ella Kinhead.
Second Row: Cyrus Smale, Walter Dupee.



MEMORIES



Class of '97. Standing: Charles Kelley, Luther Barnard, Lida Winslow, James Taylor, Nora Bagley, Guy Robinson, H. H. Robinson, Supt., Tillie Binder.
Seated: Ella Gettemy, Allie Hill, Hilda Waechter, Laura Havenhill, Nina Bagley, Ida Foote, George Wiley.



Class of 1898. Top Row: Harry Kuney, Clare Davisson, Ben Norton, Prof. Robinson, Thaddeus Davisson, Arthur Casner, Frank Griffith.
Front Row: Anna Lytton, Josie Miller, Myrtle Doane.

MEMORIES



Class of 1899. Top Row: Mae Cleveland, Viets Bliss, Gertrude Zimmerman, G. V. Clum, Supt., Mamie Barthel, Clyde Carter.
Second Row: Clara Colhoff, Walter Whitman, Irvine Taylor, Evelyn Chase, Cora Davis, Arthur Goble.



Class of 1901. Top Row: Mark Carter, Walter Dickerson, Mamie Steele, Agnes Kuney.
Second Row: G. V. Clum, Supt., Mary Wilson, Ida Tastad, Olive Taylor.



MEMORIES



Class of 1902. Top Row: Mabel Kuney, G. V. Clum, Supt., Clyd Aitken, Linnie Meads.
Second Row: Mabel Calhoff, Neva Davis.



Class of 1904. First Row: Laverne Davis, Lucille Hess, Grover Cleveland.
Second Row: Maude Coleman, G. V. Clum, Supt., Bessie McCleery.



Class of 1903. Top Row: Ruby Bergeson, Nellie Norton, Maude Donagh, Hope Barnard, Lura Hapeman, Jacob Cantlin, Elizabeth Madden, Mabel Pratt, Gurdon Binder. Second Row: Elizabeth Simison, Hulda Goldschmidt, Millie Erickson, G. V. Clum, Supt., Phoebe Cope, Hazel Dunn. Third Row: Roy Edgerton, H. W. Dickerson.

MEMORIES



Class of 1905. Top Row: Olive Munger, Charles Cleveland, Lillian Stewart, Lloyd Pool, Roscoe Lynn, Robert Adams, Julia Lincoln.
Second Row: John Van Horn, Jane Aitken, G. V. Clum, Supt., Leola Dean.



Class of 1906. Top Row: Olive McGregor, Amine Hopeman, John Thompson, Edith Adams, Gertrude Uline.
Second Row: Alma Carter, E O. Van Alyea, Arthur Yenerich, Louis Dumond, Nora Albert.
Third Row: Ethel Donagh, Mary Taylor, Perley Walker, Adele Goble, Elizabeth Kane.

MEMORIES



Class of 1907. Top Row: Myrtle Wiley, Lea Boltz, Frances Cleveland, Sophia Breuchner, Eda Swanson, Isca Wiley.
Second Row: Belle Hough, Paul Griswold, G. V. Clum, Supt., Waldo Boltz, Cora Schreengost.



HIGH SCHOOL 1907.

MEMORIES



Class of 1908 in Eighth Grade. Top Row: Miss Parks, Willard Van Ornum, Grant Conklin, Lloyd Recknor, Harry Lee, Ernest Simison, Walter Simison, Oscar Olson, Mart Thompson, Lawrence Reisinger.
 Second Row: Bessie Dumond, Clara Thompson, Florence Lynn, Marjorie Smith, Laura Spray, Martha Vask, Hazel Risley.
 Third Row: Louis Haas, Robert Wiley, George Norton, Herbert Kellogg.



Class of 1910. Top Row: Etta Yenerick, Myrtle Tripp, Delta Tabor, Rachel Conklin, Sara Wold, Anna Bliss, Myrtle Bergeson, Florence Lynn, Nona Carter, Elsie Dooling, Florence Schmidt.
 Second Row: Melvil Alyea, Paul Edgett, Carl Hoss, Samuel Goldschmidt, Chester Griffin.



MEMORIES



Class of 1911.
Standing:
Ralph Munger
Ralph White
Clarence Kane
Pierpont Adams
Seated:
Helen Hill
Alma Bolson
Elsie Kossert
Jessie
Springstead
Edna Albert



Class of 1912
Standing:
Paul Schmidt
Bristol Conklin
Seated:
Mildred Cook
Helen Wiley
Leona Swanson



Class of 1913
Left to Right:
Nellie Steele
Lois Cook
Harold Felton
Pearl Wiley
Harriett
Schmidt
Raymond
Graham
Perla Wallis
Myrna Hill
Daisy Baird

MEMORIES



Class of 1914. Left to Right: Maye Noble, Eleanor Davis, Helen Graham, Marion Bergeson Pearl Schultz, Grace Sargeant, Emaline Larabee, Lyle Wilson, Howard Yenerich.



Class of 1915. Top Row: Wilkie Lee, Marie Anderson, Arthur Schneider, Helen Schmidt, Glenn Recknor.
Second Row: Leon Kane.

MEMORIES



Class of 1916. Top Row: Harold Kukuk, Edna Bruell, Gertrude Kossert, Ruth Johnson, Arthur Hill, Hope McColgin, Clara Lewis, Worth Elliott, Audrey Cruise, Sumner Wiley.
Second Row: Mildred Whittaker, Florence Anderson, Florence Lippincott, Wave Wallis, Dorothy Wold, Frieda Kurtz, Ruth Weidner, Ida Lee, Louis Harger.



Class of 1917. Top Row: Margaret Bullock, Charles Taylor, Dorothy Furbush, Robert Taylor, Mildred Meloy, Clarence Wiley, Zoe Aitken.
Second Row: Esther Davis, Janette Boozel, Lyle Roades, Dorothy Hill, Douglas Bushell, Gertrude Wixom.



MEMORIES



Class of 1918. Left to Right: Blanche Wixom, Anna Niebergall, Violet Kern, Mabel Schneider, Elsie Lee, Edward Graham, Berneice Torman, Willis McColgin.



Class of 1919. Standing: Clara Anderson, Theodosia Keeler, Violet Main, Mildred Rife, Faith Adams.
Seated: Ronald Kukuk, Clifton Harkness.

MEMORIES



Class of 1920. Left to Right: Earl Hensler, Vietta Hitchens, Frances Whittaker, Clara Boltz, Victoria Wangler, Margaret Hughes, Harold Miller.



Class of 1921. Standing: John Hass, Miriam Alyea, Louise Gatiss, Fred Wiley, Chester Hyde, David Welch, Frank Wallis, Paul Zimmerman, Dorothy Torman, Eleanor Hill, John Greyer.
Seated: Charlotte Park, Alliene Hyde, Helen Rex, Kathryn Foote, Leola Aitken, Doris Moore, Byrd Larabee.

MEMORIES



Class of 1922. Top Row: Herbert Cook, Ralph Dupee, Fred Welch, Harold Torman, Ellis Greyer.
 Second Row: Irma Miller, Mabel Hensler, Ruth Greyer, Frances Burisch, Beatrice Whittaker, Ada Wixom.
 Third Row: Adeline Grimm, Belle Rex, Jessie White, Kathryn Humm, Mabel Foote, Mary Harkness.



Class of 1926. Top Row: Archie Meinke, John Dupee, Allen Frey, Ruth Prentice.
 Second Row: Paul Boltz, Richard Hughes, Hazel Buland, Eva Keen.
 Third Row: Harvey Beale, Lyle Malley, Dwayne Larson, Lewis Rex, Bessie Hoadley, Dorothy Bowers, Frieda Guelda.
 Fourth Row: Vernon Rowan, Charles Lyons, Clarence Cook, Lucille Harger, Helen Rochford, Lois Taylor, Beatrice Strouss, Helen Marshall.

MEMORIES



MEMORIES

Alumni

Class of		
1885	David R. Kinkead, Civil Engineer	Paola, Kans.
	Clyde M. Snow, Pharmacy Instructor	107 S. Elmwood Ave., Oak Park
	Anna Dodge Turner	LaGrange
1886	Georgia Kinney Davis	Waterloo, Ia.
	Herbert C. Wiley, (Dead)	
1887	Agnes Atkinson, (Dead)	
1888	Sherman Doane, (Dead)	
	James A. Kinkead, Engineer of Tests	Cupertino, Calif.
	Gilbert H. Wiley, Bank Cashier	Earlville
	Mabel Conklin Wiley	Earlville
1889	Bert C. Davison, Cashier	1441 Forest Ave., Wilmette
	Rose Schmidt Schrecengost	Earlville
1890	Millicent Everham Hanchett	303 E. Curtis Street, Downers Grove
	Nora Wilson Reed	Box 1264, Denver, Colo.
	Rhoba Norton Wilson	New Sharon, Ia.
1891	John Atkinson	1836 So. Lawndale, Chicago
	Lucy Brennan, (Died February 2, 1903)	
	Josephine Bcale, Stenographer	4958 Blackstone Ave., Chicago
	Clara Binder	Earlville
	Etta Foote Buck	305 W. 4th St., Sterling
	Lulu Conklin Bonney	112 N. Main St., Pendleton, Ore.
	Minnie Chapman Chesson	149 Sumner Ct., Springfield, Mass.
	Laura Haas Church	233 S. 16th Ave., Maywood
	Theophilus W. Dinsmore, Farmer	Clare
	Lura Paine Doughty	1414 E. Washington St., Los Angeles, Calif.
	Fred B. Keeler, Architect and Builder	Earlville
	Nellie Schmidt Keeler	Earlville
	Ruth Wiley McCredie	139 Galena Blvd., Aurora
	Ida Thompson	Earlville
1892	Walter Dupee, (Dead)	
	Ella Kinkead Dupee	716 W. Galena Ave., Freeport
	Rose Wiley Biggs	539 Seminary Ave., Aurora
	Laverna Davison Doane, (Dead)	
	Mamie Graham Grimm	917 Nettie St., Belvidere
	Cyrus A. Smale	1368 Euclid, Washington, D. C.
1893	No class graduated. Another year of work was added to the High School course and a class of six members was held over for the next year.	
1894	Bethia E. Pool Davis	Radison Hotel, Aberdeen, S. D.
	Janie D. Litten Brashares	2155 High St., Oakland, Calif.
	Ella Dupee	716 Galena Ave., Freeport
	Ralph D. Norton, (Dead)	
1895	Ella E. Beale Blakeslee	Earlville
	Elizabeth Doane, Teacher	Cottonwood Falls, Kans.
	Flora Everham Bonetzell	Hanford, Calif.
1896	Elizabeth Barnard, Teacher	5517 Ardmore, Chicago
	Kate Goble, Teacher	Earlville
	Josie Norton Miller	Cimarron, N. M.
	Goldie Goss Atherton	392 Woodlawn Ave., Aurora
1897	Ella M. Gettemy Wiley	Ottawa
	Charles C. Kelley, (Dead)	
	Hilda Weachter Davis	3402 Sunnyside, Chicago

MEMORIES

	Tillie Binder Robinson	6200 Evans Ave., Chicago
	Allie Hill, Teacher	Wamego, Kans.
	Nora Bagley Bushell	301 Benton St., Aurora
	Ida Foote Ater, (Dead)	
	D. Luther Barnard, Physician	Salt Lake City, Utah
	Nina Bagley Perry	307 Benton St., Aurora
	Laura Havenhill, Clerk	2446 Lexington St., Chicago
	Lida Winslow Humm	Earlville
	George S. Wiley, Attorney	Ottawa
	Lewis James Taylor, (Dead)	
	Guy H. Robinson, Manufacturer	6200 Evans Ave., Chicago
1898	Ben Norton, Stenographer	129 S. Estelle St., Wichita, Kans.
	Myrtle Doane Casner	302 E. Anaheim St., Long Beach, Calif.
	Anna Litten, Teacher	15429 Lexington Ave., Harvey
	Josie Miller, Bookkeeper	Earlville
	Frank Griffeth, Physician	Elgin
	Thaddeus Davisson, Farmer	Earlville
	Clare Davisson, (Dead)	
	Arthur J. Casner, Dentist	302 E. Anaheim St., Long Beach, Calif.
	Harry Kuney, Bookkeeper	Tulare, Calif.
1899	Arthur S. Goble	Boatman's Bank Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.
	Irvine S. Taylor	Springer, N. M.
	Walter Whitman	Earlville
	Cora Davis Cooper	Earlville
	Evelyn Chase, Photographer	108½ E. 3rd St., Sterling
	Viets Bliss, Rancher	Chula Vista, Calif.
	Clyde Carter, Farmer	Earlville
	Gertrude Zimmerman Fleming, (Dead)	
	Clara Calhoff Myers	305 N. Fifth Ave., LaGrange
	Mamie Barthel Thomas	Earlville
	Mae Cleveland, Teacher	Santa Monica, Calif.
1900	No class graduated in 1900. Fourth year added to course.	
1901	Mark Carter, Farmer	Earlville
	Walter Dickerson	1002 S. Kline St., Aberdeen, S. D.
	Agnes Kuney	Chicago
	Mamie Steele, Bookkeeper	Earlville
	Olive A. Taylor Vogelsburg	Potosi, Wis.
	Ida Tastad Lunde	Esmond
	Mary Wilson Wolfe, Teacher	Earlville
1902	Clyde Aitken, Farmer	Chula Vista, Calif.
	Mabel Calhoff Turk	Earlville
	Neva A. Davis Randolph, (Dead)	
	Mabel A. Kuney Clum	209 Richards Rd., Columbus, O.
	Linnie E. Meads Kerns	Big Rock
1903	Hope Barnard Dupee	716 W. Galena Ave., Freeport
	Ruby D. Bergeson Crawford	75 Elm Ave., Wollaston, Mass.
	Gurdon A. Binder, Electrical Engineer	1509 E. 68th St., Chicago
	Jacob Cantlin, Attorney	Rock Falls
	Phoebe M. Cope Antram	530 Jefferson Ave., Elgin
	Hazel Dunn Eastagord	Ottawa
	H. W. Dickerson, Bookkeeper	West Englewood, New Jersey
	Roy Edgerton, (Dead)	
	Millie Erickson Chandler	Plano
	Hulda Goldschmidt, (Dead)	
	Lura Hapeman Dickerson	1019 Kline St., Aberdeen, S. D.
	Elizabeth Madden Rogers	621 Greenwood Ave., Blue Island
	Nellie C. Norton Reese	LaPorte, Ind.
	E. Mabel Pratt Keeler	Malta
1904	Maude Coleman Langlotz	122 18th St., Toledo, O.
	Grover Cleveland	Ft. Bragg, Calif.

MEMORIES

	E. LaVerne Davis, (Dead)	
	Lucille M. Hess, (Dead)	
	Bessie R. McCleery Gilbert	Hinckley
1905	Roscoe K. Lynn, Bank Cashier	Earlville
	Julia M. Lincoln Pixley	Westmont
	Jane A. Aitken Carter	Earlville
	Charles M. Cleveland	Los Angeles, Calif.
	Leola J. Dean Van Horn, (Dead)	
	Olive M. Munger Geithman	Alhambra, Calif.
	Lloyd H. Pool, (Dead)	
	Lillian E. Stewart McGinnis	Mendota
	John W. Van Horn, Farmer	Earlville
1906	Edith M. Adams, Teacher	Earlville
	Nora Albert	Ottawa
	E. O. Van Alyea, Physician	25 E. Washington St., Chicago
	Alma Carter Shurlow	Earlville
	Ethel Donagh, Teacher	Rochelle
	Louis A. Dumond, Civil Engineer	205 S. 19th St., Maywood
	Adele Goble Collman	787 Rosemont Ave., Oakland, Calif.
	Amine W. Hapeman Callagan	Sheridan
	Elizabeth L. Kane Worsley	Hebron, Ind.
	Olive A. MacGregor Bergeson	Ashton
	Mary A. Taylor Eldredge	Springer, N. M.
	Gertrude M. Uline Golden	Bayard, Ia.
	Perley Walker Strong	Earlville
	Arthur D. Yenerich, Farmer	Paw Paw
	John Thompson, (Dead)	
1907	Myrtle Wiley Wedding, (Dead)	
	Isca Wiley Evans, (Dead)	
	Lea Boltz Hoffman	Earlville
	Waldo Boltz, Farmer	Earlville
	Paul Griswold, Teacher	Egan
	Frances Cleveland Loloff	Kersey, Colo.
	Cora Schrecengost, Intertype Operator	Earlville
	Bell Hough Lee	Earlville
	Sophia Brueckner Gustloff	Kappas, Mich.
	Eda Swanson Leonard	Earlville
1908	Lloyd Recknor	Tulsa, Okla.
	Willard Van Ornum	Earlville
	E. Melvin Bergeson, Grain Dealer	Ashton
	Märjory Smith Pierce	Earlville
	Hazel Goss Tomlinson	Winsted, Conn.
	Clara Thompson, Teacher	Earlville
	Bessie Dumond Lodge	636 S. 17th Ave., Maywood
1909	Nellie Taylor Musselman	3828 Terrace St., Kansas City, Mo.
	Robt. H. Schrecengost, Veterinary Surgeon	Armstrong, Ia.
	Robert Wiley	5336 W. Monroe St., Chicago
	Herbert Kane	East Las Vegas, N. M.
1910	Melvil Alyea	5636 S. Michigan Ave., Chicago
	Myrtle Bergeson Mode	Royal Oak, Mich.
	Anna Bliss Loveday	3524 Lan Franco St., Los Angeles, Calif.
	Nona Carter Trotter	Plano
	Elsie Dooling Peterson	Earlville
	Rachel Conklin McLellan	249 Madison St., Oak Park
	Florence Lynn	Earlville
	Carl Hoss	Santa Monica, Calif.
	Paul Edgett, Druggist	600 Wentworth Ave., Chicago
	Chester Griffin, (Dead)	
	Samuel Goldschmidt	272 Clark St., Aurora
	Florence Schmidt Kneller	204 N. University Ave., Peoria
	Delta Tabor McCray	1130 Hickory St., Waukegan

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	Myrtle Tripp Lutz	2880 N. Clark St., Chicago
	Sara Wold, Teacher	304 N. East Ave., Oak Park
	Etta Yenerich Faust	437 Waterman St., Detroit, Mich.
1911	Edna Albert Bock	Leland
	Alma Bolson Kuntz	Earlville
	Helen Hill Hill, (Dead)	
	Clarence Kane	Dodge City, Kans.
	Elsie Kossert Grosshans	607 7th St., W. Ashland, Wis.
	Jessie Springsteed	Sheridan
	Charles H. Strong	1012 Elgin Ave., Forest Park
	Ralph White	1648 Juneway Terrace, Chicago
1912	Mildred Cook Timms	Hawkeye, Ia.
	Bristol Conklin	549 Madison St., Oak Park
	Leona Swanson Blackburn	Amelia, O.
	Paul M. Schmidt	Kansas City, Mo.
	Helen Wiley Menz	89 Blackhawk St., Aurora
1913	Daisy Baird Holliday	Leland
	Lois Cook Sorg	Sumner, Ia.
	Harold Felton	462 Beverly Road, Beverly, Wis.
	Raymond Graham	30 N. Michigan Ave., Chicago
	Myrna Hill	Earlville
	Nellie Steele Prater, Teacher	Earlville
	Harriet Schmidt, Teacher	Earlville
	Pearl Wiley Butler	Earlville
	Perla Wallis Schmidt	384 So. Broadway, Aurora
1914	Marion Faith Bergeson Jacobson	Willoughby, O.
	Eleanor Davis Small	Mendota
	Helen Graham Gallagher	Earlville
	Emaline Larabee Burnett	Paw Paw
	Maye Noble Villwock	221 Avon St., Aurora
	Grace Sargeant Kaminky	Earlville
	Harry C. Schultz	LaSalle
	Pearl Schultz Wilson	212 E. Evans St., Aurora
	Lyle H. Wilson, Teacher	212 E. Evans St., Aurora
	Howard D. Yenerich, Farmer	Paw Paw
1915	Marie Anderson Gast	Route 4, Aurora
	Leon Kane	Arkansas City, Kans.
	Wilkie Lee	Burlington, Ia.
	Glenn Recknor	Earlville
	Helen Schmidt Allyn	Denver, Colo.
	Arthur Schneider	Sheffield
1916	Florence Anderson Gast	Earlville
	Edna Bruel Hughes	Earlville
	Audrey Cruise Mohr	Aurora
	Louise Harger Springsteed	Mendota
	Ruth Johnson Gast	Earlville
	Frieda M. Kurtz, Student	Fontanelle, Ia.
	Gertrude L. Kossert, Clerk C. B. & Q.	253 Fifth St., Aurora
	Ida Lee Roux	Ottawa
	Florence Lippincott Ehrler	Mendota
	Clara Lewis Bicking	212 N. Fourth St. Sterling
	Hope McColgin Conrad	Rankin, Okla.
	Wave Wallis Hughes	326 Rosewood Ave., Aurora
	Mildred A. Whittaker Frey	1213 Greenwood Ave., Beloit, Wis.
	Ruth Wangler Miller	DeKalb
	Dorothy Wold Kerins	1014 S. Tenth Ave., Maywood
	Worth Elliott, (Dead)	
	Arthur C. Hill, Undertaker	Sheridan
	Harold Kukuk	Hinckley
	Sumner C. Wiley	Earlville

MEMORIES

1917	Clarence Wiley	5331 W. Monroe St., Chicago
	Charles Taylor	Conde, S. D.
	Robert Taylor	Conde, S. D.
	Lyle Roades	205 High St., Galena
	Douglas Bushell, Clerk C. B. & Q.	Chicago
	Gertrude Wixom Goble	Earlville
	Mildred Meloy Miller	Earlville
	Dorothy Hill Trevillion	Earlville
	Dorothy Furbush Nord	Earlville
	Margaret Bullock, Teacher	Earlville
	Zoe Aitken Miller	Earlville
	Janette Boozel, Teacher	Earlville
	Esther Davis, Teacher	Earlville
1918	Blanche Wixom Bresnahan	621 Onwentsia Ave., Highland Park
	Elsie R. Lee Schrecengost	Earlville
	Mabelle Schneider Welch	Victoria
	Violet Kern Parke	Kingston
	Berneice Torman, Teacher	Earlville
	Anna Niebergall Smith	1419 E. 69th St., Chicago
	Edward Graham	Chicago
	Willis McColgin	1434 N. 26th St., Kansas City, Kans.
1919	Faith Adams	Earlville
	Clara Anderson Kukuk	Ottawa
	Theodosia Keeler, Teacher	Earlville
	Violet Main Reynolds	Earlville
	Mildred Rife	Meriden
	Clifton Harkness	101 W. Central Blvd., Kewanee
	Ronald Kukuk	Ottawa
1920	Harold Miller, Assistant Cashier	Earlville
	Vietta Hitchens	Earlville
	Earl Hensler	5045 W. Adams St., Chicago
	Victoria Wangler Price, Teacher	Earlville
	Margaret Hughes Pence	722 Church St., Rockford
	Clara Boltz Bradford	7645 Stewart Ave., Chicago
	Frances Whittaker Stockley	Earlville
1921	Leola Aitken	Earlville
	Miriam Alyea Steinke	Earlville
	Kathryn Foote	Chicago
	Louise Gatiss Davisson	16538 Woodward Ave., Detroit, Mich
	John Haas	Amboy
	John Greyer, Teacher	Earlville
	Eleanor Hill Torman	Earlville
	Alliene Hyde Larabee	Paw Paw
	Chester Hyde, Bookkeeper	Earlville
	Byrd Larabee, Teacher	Earlville
	Doris Moore Larabee	Earlville
	Charlotte Park Mickelson	124 Commonwealth Ave., Aurora
	Helen Rex Wiley	Earlville
	Frank Wallis	326 Rosewood Ave., Aurora
	David Welch	Ottawa
	Frederick Wiley	Earlville
	Paul Zimmerman	Waynesboro
1922	Frances Burisch Wuylens	Mendota
	Herbert Cook	Earlville
	Ralph Dupee	Chicago
	Mabel Foote	Chicago
	Adelaide Grimm	Earlville
	Ruth Greyer Anderson	Ottawa
	Ellis Greyer	Earlville
	Mabel Hensler Hyde	Earlville
	Cathryn Humm Ferris	204 Crescent Ave., Peoria
	Mary Harkness Brusate	Arlington

MEMORIES

	Irma Miller Thompson	3114 Warren Ave., Chicago
	Harold Torman	Earlville
	Fred Welch	Victoria
	Jessie White	4900 Washington Blvd., Chicago
	Beatrice Whittaker Hough	Earlville
	Ada Wixom Truckenbrod	Mendota
	Belle Rex Harkness	101 West Central Blvd., Kewanee
1923	May Alexander Duffy	Wedron
	Isabelle Barton Eddie	2510 Palm Dr., Los Angeles, Calif.
	Russell Conklin, Farmer	Earlville
	Harold Foster	Earlville
	Gladys Godfrey Harger	Earlville
	Lloyd Graham, Clerk	Ottawa
	Emma Boltz Conklin	Earlville
	Ruth Harger Smith	Earlville
	Richard Humm	Earlville
	Roy Kossert	Chicago
	Margaret Meloy	Earlville
	Dorothy Pratt Englehart	Paw Paw
	James Rowe, Clerk	Earlville
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Earlville High School Alumni Association

The Alumni Association of the Earlville High School was organized on the evening of June 17, 1891, in the basement rooms of the Universalist Church, immediately following the Commencement Exercises of the class of 1891.

Its charter members numbered twenty-nine. They were the members of seven graduating classes who had received diplomas from the Earlville High School, the first class graduating in 1885. The enrollment for the Alumni was made by Mrs. Georgia Kinney Davis, a member of the class of 1886. To her the association is indebted for the secure foundation on which it was placed and on which it has rested ever since.

The first president of the Alumni was Mrs. Davis. So far as can be ascertained no records were preserved for several years of the annual meetings, or of the names of officers who have served the association.

The membership of forty class is 371, of whom 347 are living. Members are located in 22 different states of the Union; 368 are living in Illinois.

The largest class is that of 1926 which added twenty-three members. The smallest class is that of 1887 whose only member was Agnes Atkinson.

On the last page of Alumni records are entered the twenty-four names of those who early were called for promotion to the life Elysian "whose portals we call Death." The human mind can give no explanation for their early passing. We only know the Grim Reaper folded the young hands—hands whose warm touch we could not keep, close within his own and led them away. One of the twenty-four is a World War hero. Prof. John Thompson died in the service in October, 1918. Greater sacrifice than this hath no men made, than that they lay down their lives for their country.

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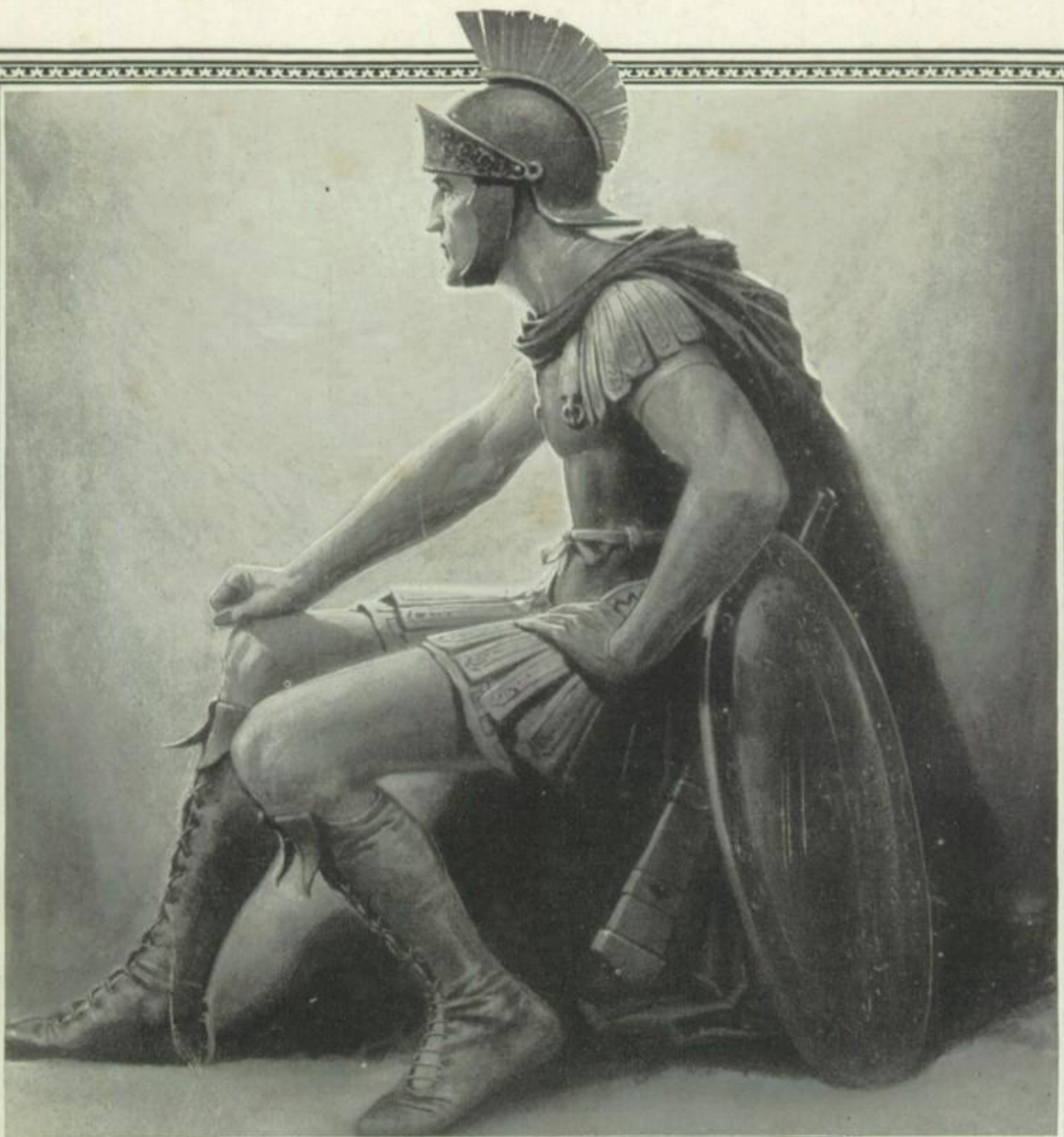
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